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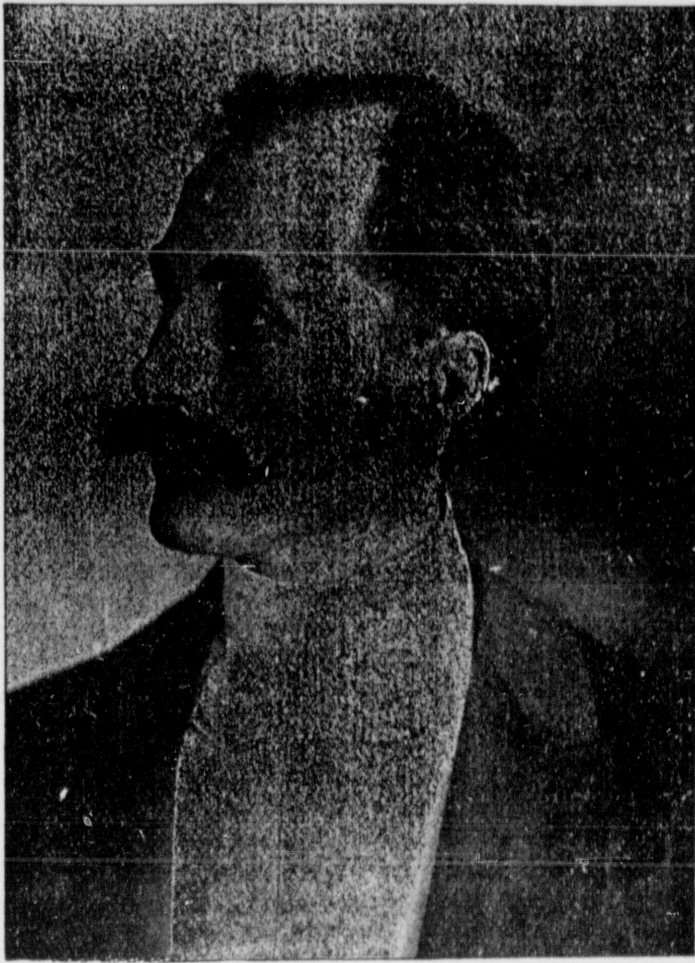
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Yours,  
(Signed) S. S. PARR,  
Supt. City Schools.

It will readily be seen that when an expenditure of \$500 is made for such material as this, the Board having to borrow money to make such purchases, the public is justified in severely censuring such action. It evidences nothing more or less than the action of a majority on the Board of Education whose arbitrariness in this, as well as in other matters, is sufficient to deprive it of the public confidence.

Respectfully,  
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J C Congdon.....Brainerd  
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Fred Luden.....Brainerd  
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P M Lagerquist.....Brainerd  
Walter Davis.....Brainerd  
C M Patek.....Brainerd  
C N Parker.....Brainerd  
Harry E. Brooks.....Brainerd  
J N Sanborn.....Brainerd  
C A Reuss.....Brainerd  
Thomas McMaster.....Brainerd

PETIT.  
A L Nutting.....Brainerd  
Remi Rofidal.....Garrison  
Wm Barsch.....Brainerd  
Albert M Johnson.....Brainerd  
Geo Bane.....Brainerd  
A L Hoffman.....Brainerd  
J A Jackson.....Oak Lawn  
Solomon Johnson.....Brainerd  
P S Stillings.....Crow Wing  
Henry Jabe.....Garrison  
Fred Reid.....St Matthias  
A G Leighton.....Fairbanks  
J E Johnson.....Brainerd  
Silas Hall.....Brainerd  
Felix Graham.....Brainerd  
John H Gibson.....Brainerd  
L H Stallman.....Brainerd  
W S Hills.....Brainerd  
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Good Gingham, Only.....	3c	Fine Changeable Dress Goods, Wood's price 25c., our price.....	19 1/2c
Fancy Outing Flannels, Only.....	4c	Fine Black Figured Dress Goods, Wood's price 65c., our price.....	42c
Dark Cheviot Shirtings, Wood's price 8c., our price.....	4c	46 in. Black Henriettas, Wood's price 85c., our price.....	62 1/2c
White Domest Flannels, Wood's price 10c., ours.....	5c	46 in. Black Henriettas, Wood's price \$1.00, our price.....	72 1/2c
Tickings, Wood's price 10c., our price.....	7c	Lot Ladies Wrappers, Wood's price 69c., ours.....	49c
Sheetings, Wood's price 7c., our price.....	4c	Lot Ladies Wrappers, Wood's price \$1.25, ours.....	75c
Towelings, Wood's price 5c., our price.....	3c	Black Figured Dress Skirts, Wood's price \$2, our price.....	\$1.48
Unbleached Table Linens, Wood's price 35c., ours.....	19c	Black Figured Dress Skirts, Wood's price \$2.50, our price.....	\$1.69
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Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, Wood's price 8c. per pair, our price.....	4c
Men's Heavy Seamless Hose, Wood's price 8c., our price.....	4c
Men's Fine Cotton Hose, Wood's price 15c. per pair, our price.....	10c
Men's Fine Wool Hose, Wood's price 20c. per pair, our price.....	12c
Ladies' Wool Hose, Wood's price per pair 25c., our price.....	15c
40c Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, only.....	19c
50c Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, only.....	25c
\$1 Ladies' Fine Union Suits, only.....	75c
Children's Handkerchiefs, only.....	1c
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\$2.00 11-4 Gray Blankets, our price.....	\$1.50
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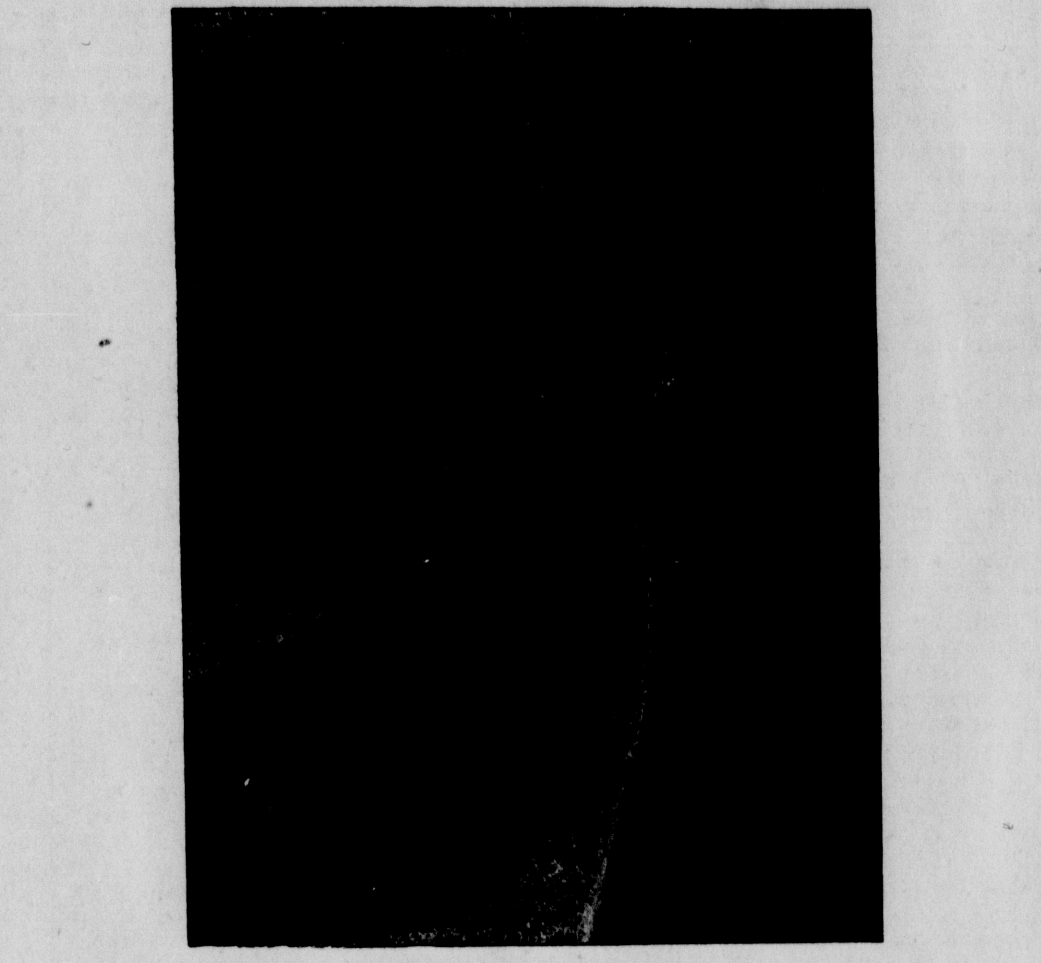
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| J C Congdon     | Brainerd   |
| J J Howe, Sr.   | Brainerd   |
| Fred Luden      | Brainerd   |
| John Larson     | Brainerd   |
| P M Lagerquist  | Brainerd   |
| Walter Davis    | Brainerd   |
| C M Patek       | Brainerd   |
| C N Parker      | Brainerd   |
| Harry E. Brooks | Brainerd   |
| J N Sanborn     | Brainerd   |
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| A L Nutting      | Brainerd      |
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| Wm Barsch        | Brainerd      |
| Albert M Johnson | Brainerd      |
| Geo Bane         | Brainerd      |
| A L Hoffman      | Brainerd      |
| J A Jackson      | Oak Lawn      |
| Solomon Johnson  | Brainerd      |
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| L H Stallman     | Brainerd      |
| W S Hills        | Brainerd      |
| Obidah Summers   | Pillager      |
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Good Gingham, Only	3c	Fine Changeable Dress Goods, Wood's price 25c.,	19 1/2c
Fancy Outing Flannels, Only	4c	Our price	
Dark Cheviot Shirtings, Wood's price 8c, our price	4c	Fine Black Figured Dress Goods, Wood's price 65c.,	42c
White Domet Flannels, Wood's price 10c, ours	5c	Our price	
Tieknings, Wood's price 10c	7c	46 in. Black Henriettas, Wood's price 85c., our	62 1/2c
Our price		Price	
Sheetings, Wood's price 7c	4c	46 in. Black Henriettas, Wood's price \$1.00, our	72 1/2c
Our price		price	
Towelings, Wood's price 5c	3c	Lot Ladies Wrappers, Wood's price 60c, ours	49c
Our price		Wood's price \$1.25, ours	75c
Unbleached Table Linens, Wood's price 35c, ours	19c	Black Figured Dress Skirts, Wood's price \$2	\$1.48
Unbleached Table Linens, Wood's price 75c, ours	48c	Our price	
Lot Double Width Dress Goods, Wood's price 20c.,	12 1/2c	Black Figured Dress Skirts, Wood's price \$2.50	\$1.69
Our price		Our price	
Fine Fancy Double Width Dress Goods, Wood's price 25c	15c	All Wool Skirt Patterns, Wood's price \$1, ours	65c
Our price		Wood's price 65c, ours	48c
White Bed Spreads, Wood's price 85c, ours	65c		
White Bed Spreads, Wood's price \$2, ours	\$1.48		

## Underwear, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Corsets, Etc

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, Wood's price 8c. per pair, our price	4c
Men's Heavy Seamless Hose, Wood's price 8c	our price
Men's Fine Cotton Hose, Wood's price 15c per pair, our price	10c
Men's Fine Wool Hose, Wood's price 20c. per pair, our price	12c
Ladies Wool Hose, Wood's price per pair 25c, our price	15c
40c Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, only	19c
50c Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, only	25c
\$1 Ladies' Fine Union Suits, only	75c
Children's Handkerchiefs, only	1c
Ladies and Men's Handkerchief, Wood's price 10c, our price	5c
Ladies Black and Colored Corsets, Wood's price 75c, our price	48c
Ladies Black and Colored Corsets, Wood's price \$1.25, our price	98c
Ladies Kid Gloves, Wood's price \$1, our price	69c
Ladies Kid Gloves, Wood's price \$1.25, our price	98c

## Blankets, Quilts, Etc.

\$2.00 11-4 Gray Blankets, our price	\$1.50
\$4.00 11-4 Gray All Wool Blankets, our price	2.95
\$1.25 Bed Quilts, our price	.90
\$1.75 Bed Quilts, our price	1.25

## SHOES.

Children's shoes, to close	19c
\$1.00 Fine Children's Shoes, to close	59c
200 pair Ladies and Misses Fine Shoes, only	98c
200 pair Men's Congress and Lace Shoes, only	98c

Remember that all these goods are BRAND NEW and at these prices must interest you.

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Misses' \$1.35 Felt Shoe, now .90	Men's \$1.00 Low Overshoes, now	.75
Misses' \$1.75 Goat Skin, now .60	Lumbermen's \$1.75 Rubbers, now	\$1.15
Men's \$2.00 Felt Shoe, now \$1.00	Huron Rubbers \$1.50, reduced to	\$1.00

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Men's Half Soleing....	65 Cents.
Ladies' Half Soleing....	40 Cents.
Misses Half Soleing....	35 Cents.
Boy's Half Soleing....	50 Cents.

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All other goods will be sold in proportion to the above prices. We have a large line of the VERY BEST SHOES MADE to be sold at once.

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**Brainerd Dispatch.**  
Ingersoll & Wieland, Publishers.  
BRainerd, MINNESOTA  
If the pension list is increased during the next five years as it has been during the last thirty the government will go bankrupt through its debt of gratitude and wonder what else it was ever saved for.

The girls of a town in Illinois will play football. They will practice in short dresses and play in bloomers. The society and the church of the town are up in arms against this masculinity; but the girls will probably have their own way until they have murdered each other to the last girl. For, of course, having decided to play the manly game, they will play it only as men do.

A man will be more grieved for the loss of a desired object than he could have been pleased with the enjoyment of it; for though the presence of an imaginary good does not always make us happy, the absence of it may make us miserable; because in the enjoyment of an object we only find that share of pleasure which it is capable of giving us, but in the absence of it we do not proportion our grief to the real value it bears, but to the value our fancies and imaginations set upon it.

Here is a straight tip from a newspaper called Brains. It says there is but one right way to advertise, and that is to hammer your name, your occupation, your business so constantly, so persistently, so thoroughly into the people's heads that if they walk in their sleep they will constantly turn their steps toward your store. The newspaper is your friend in spite of your criticism. It helps to build up the community that supports you. When the day comes that the newspapers are dead the people are on the edge of the grave with nobody to write the epitaph.

If a stomach be not indispensable may not the time come when the scourge of dyspepsia shall be practically unknown? With the abolition of dyspepsia the heresy hunter would find his occupation a thankless one; the unfair critic would leave his bludgeon and coo like a dove; the policeman and the west side conductor would cultivate a memory and the motorman would stop at street crossings in wet weather; the preacher would study St. John more than Jeremiah; cab drivers would consider the rights of pedestrians; even poets would be tolerated as harmless; the anarchist orator would have to earn his living; the demagogue would be out of a job.

When the unemployed can become not only self-supporting but wealth-producing, the hardest problem of civilization will be in a fair way to be solved. The colony of Victoria, Australia, has brought about both results by establishing village settlements near swamp lands, and maintaining the settlers while they reclaimed the waste and raised a first crop. Twenty-five hundred families that once were homeless now live in comfort on these formerly worthless lands—and the increase in the value of the reclaimed tract has more than covered the government's expenditure. Over such an achievement, philanthropy and finance, who should be better friends than they are, are fully justified in shaking hands.

Germans are adopting American machinery for their manufacturing and American ideas as well. The English manufacturer proclaims boldly—probably for the effect it may have upon his workmen—that if he cannot adopt American machinery and methods in Great Britain he will have to shut up shop. The Germans and English may be able to compete with each other with the aid of American machinery and they may be able to excel all the world save this great country from which they are drawing new inspirations. But they cannot go the American pace. Having caught up with them we will pass them—distance them, perhaps—for in all the world there is no such combination of excellence as in these United States of America.

Unfortunate borrowers frequently pay such a debt two or three times over, in the form of interest, and then, failing once to yield their monthly tribute, lose all the belongings of the home, from bed to cooking stove. It is therefore distinctly in line with its purposes that the Salvation Army should propose to open loan offices where a poor man may obtain money, in an emergency, without enslaving himself for life to a "cutthroat mortgage." Some churches have already taken the same step in practical Christianity. Since the business will, when honestly and considerately managed, yield a fair return on capital, there seems no good reason why philanthropists in every community should not unite to keep it out of the hands of scoundrels.

A few persons have done a profitable business in tree planting in this country, but this occupation will probably not be followed by individuals, as the time required for trees to mature is too long. Governments do not die like individuals, and for this reason certain economic industries are more suitable for governments to control than for individuals to undertake. Tree planting is one of comparatively few businesses which we believe the government can prosecute more successfully than can any private individual or corporation.

## THE NEWS RESUME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

**A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week Culled From the Telegraph Reports—The Notable Events at Home and Abroad That Have Attracted Attention.**

### Washington Talk.

The Victoria, B. C., board of trade has telegraphed Hon. Mr. Sifton, minister of the interior, demanding the closing of the pass at the head of Linn canal until satisfactory arrangements are made with the United States.

Commissioner Evans, of the pension department, expresses the opinion that it would be proper for postmasters to refer letters in reference to pension cases addressed to them to the nearest special examiner or to the commissioner of pensions, if the address of the examiner is not known.

### Casualties.

Gustav Koenig, a young farmer living near Marshalltown, Iowa, had his hand smashed in a corn sheller.

John C. Lorschbaugh, aged 44, was killed by his team as he was leading them into the barn at Durand, Wis. He leaves a widow and large family.

### Criminal.

Oscar Webster, a carpenter of Humboldt, Iowa, has confessed to robbing the postoffice at Pioneer last winter.

Ed P. Vickor, a prominent lawyer of Birmingham, Ala., was shot dead by Dr. J. C. Taylor. The trouble arose over an unpaid bill.

William Flier has been sentenced to be shot at Eufaula, I. T., for the murder of Sitka McIntosh last summer. Both parties are Creek Indians.

Dr. H. S. Bonney has been fined \$100 and costs, at Harrisonville, Mo., for selling intoxicating liquors without a license.

For some unknown reason, Frank L. Rhee, a 14-year-old boy of Greenville, Miss., committed suicide by hanging himself. He was the only support of his widowed mother.

Henry E. Van Duen, former passenger agent at St. Louis for the Big Four, and lately district representative of the Woolson Coffee and Spice company, committed suicide at the Tremont hotel at Quincy, Ill.

Saunders & Hoffman, druggists of Grantsburg, Wis., were arrested, being charged with selling liquor. Hoffman pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs. This is the first conviction since the town went "dry" last spring.

At Napa, Cal., in the presence of the sheriff and district attorney of Napa county and six other witnesses George Willard Clark has confessed that he was the murderer of his brother, W. A. Clark, at St. Helena.

At Galveston, Tex., the jury in the case of Virgil Gallagher, charged with killing his mother last August, returned a verdict of guilty and assessed the death penalty. Gallagher is a medical student twenty years old.

### Foreign Notes.

Paul Felix Taillade, the well known and veteran French actor, is dead.

Lieut. Gen. Sir Frederick Dobson Middleton, keeper of the crown jewels, is dead.

The Paris correspondent of the London Daily News is "convinced that the agitation will eventually lead to a new trial for Dreyfus."

A colliery accident near Mons, it is announced in a special dispatch from Brussels, has resulted in the death of seventeen persons.

An effort has been made in Scotland looking to the adoption of some steps to check or regulate the sale of foreign meats in Scotch markets.

Herr Trojan, editor of Kladderatsch, Berlin, has been sentenced to two months imprisonment for lese majeste in cartooning Emperor William.

The state department has been informed through Consul General Govey at Kanagawa, Japan, of the death at that place of Joseph Heco, the interpreter to the consulate.

It is rumored that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria will shortly announce the betrothal of the archduchess Elizabeth, daughter of the late Crown Prince Rudolph, to the king of Spain.

The British steamer Darlington, Capt. Dunbar, laden with cotton from Galveston, Jan. 20, for Hamburg, went ashore at Marquesas Keys, Fla. Her captain and mate have arrived at Key West.

James O'Sullivan, national secretary of the A. O. H., has received a cablegram from Dublin stating that the week commencing Aug. 21 has been fixed upon for the principal exercises in Ireland in connection with the centenary of the insurrection of 1798.

Natal has been enlarged by the annexation of Zululand and Amatongaland under letters patent issued by the crown. That the Transvaal Republic and the Orange Free State are not also annexed is due to a little miscalculation made two years ago.

The Neuste Nachrichten of Berlin announces that the German warships are still sounding Klao Chou bay, adding that the exact site of the port is not yet fixed and that the government intends that the construction of the commercial port shall be borne by private companies. It is further stated that one company has already been formed to construct the docks.

### People Talked About.

Carl W. Belzer, professor of Latin in the University of Colorado, is dead at Boulder.

Secretary Gage has accepted an invitation to deliver an address before the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce on March 19.

John F. Steinbrenner, president of the Chapin Hill Lumber company, died at Newark, N. J., from an overdose of laudanum.

A telegram from Palm Beach, Fla., announces the death at that place of Mrs. Mary Payne Bingham, of Cleveland. Mrs. Bingham was a daughter of the late Senator Henry B. Payne.

Announcement is made at Chillicothe, Mo., of the marriage of Rev. W. E. Dockery, aged 74, and Mrs. Julia Dimmock, a widow of 65. Rev. Dockery is a superannuated Methodist minister, and father of Congressman Dockery of Missouri.

Mrs. Minnie Wallace Walkup Ketcham, widow of the late well known club man of Chicago, John B. Ketcham, has been sued by her former attorney, D. C. Hensen, for \$20,000, to which he alleges he is entitled as recompense for services.

On the application of both sides the suit brought at New York by George B. Hathaway and Richard Heard against Fridtjof Nansen, the Arctic explorer, to recover \$20,000 damages for breach of contract in failing to complete the fifty lectures which it was alleged Nansen had agreed to deliver, was discontinued.

Andrew M. Moore, senior member of the firm of Moore & Sinnott, wholesale whisky dealers of Philadelphia, and owner of the Girard house, died from a complication of diseases resulting from a severe fall two months ago. Mr. Moore was in his eighty-fourth year. He leaves a fortune valued at \$5,000,000.

### Sporting Items.

Columbia will take part this year in three dual track meets, Brown Cornell and Princeton will be the opponents.

President Nick Young's schedule will be complete and ready or the approval of the magnates by Feb. 15.

A series of match races have been arranged at Minneapolis between John S. Johnson and John F. Davidson of St. Paul.

Manager George P. Stallings promises to hand out fines with a lavish hand next season. The Phillies are to be ruled with an iron hand.

"A team that could land in sixth place or better would make \$40,000 in a season at St. Louis," said Stanley Robison, of the Cleveland club.

It is announced that the board of stewards of the grand trotting circuit will meet in Detroit early in February to may out the circuit for the coming season.

Kid McPartland and Jack Hanley have been matched to box twenty rounds in Toronto on Feb. 7. George Siler will be asked to referee the bout.

After six years of exile from the turf Johnnie Brannon, one of the notorious Brannon brothers, of Polk Budget fame, has been reinstated to the full rights and privileges of the tracks.

President Davidson of the Kentucky association track says he will give matinee races beginning early in March for the purpose of holding the 200 horses now in Lexington.

Dick O'Brien, who is at Lewiston, Me., says he will meet any middleweight in the world at 158 pounds, for \$500 to \$5,000 a side. O'Brien declares he is in the best of condition.

John Lawson Johnstone of Kingwood, Kent, has sold the racing cutter Britannia, formerly the property of the prince of Wales, to Ernest Teran Hooley, the millionaire speculator.

It is said that Lilly Langtry is determined that she will race her stable of thoroughbreds on this side of the water this year. She races under the name of Mr. Jersey. It has always been an ambition with her to race in America.

### Otherwise.

The Prairie Methodist Episcopal church, of Kildare, Okla., has just taken out articles of incorporation.

The Century Road Club of America has extended the hand of fellowship to professionals.

The Ohio senate has adopted a resolution to investigate trusts. A committee of five senate s will conduct the investigation.

The making of annuity payments to 1,600 Indians has begun at Pawhuska, the capital of the Osage nation, Okla., and will last for a week.

The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue shows the total receipts for December to have been \$14,373,682, a gain for the month of \$1,107,520.

The hair of Mrs. James Snyder, of Maude, Okla., turned white from fright during the late excitement caused by the reports of a Seminole uprising.

At Crown Point, Ind., "Jimmie" Michael, the Welsh bicyclist, through his attorney, has filed a suit for a divorce from his wife, Fanny Michael, nee Lewis.

A steamer to be used on the Upper Snake river has been shipped in sections from Portland by rail to Huntington, Ore. This is an incident in a big scheme of mining development in Eastern Oregon and Idaho.

In anticipation of the new immigration law going into effect the rush of immigration to this country has started. The Tartar Prince has arrived at New York with 720 persons in the steerage. The vessel comes from Italian ports.

The jury in the damage case of Mira Rogers vs. William Hamm at Fort Dodge, after being out about twenty hours, brought in a verdict of \$2,300 for the plaintiff. The amount asked for was \$10,000. Mrs. Rogers brought suit for selling liquor to her husband.

The reorganization committee of the Union Pacific Railroad company has filed articles of incorporation with Secretary of State Porter at Lincoln, Neb. The capital stock is placed at \$136,000,000. The fee for filing amounted to \$13,603.50.

The scheduled meeting of the National base ball league to be held in St. Louis next month will bring together the principal sporting writers of the country, and especially those of the twelve cities in which league clubs are located.

Attachments have been issued at New York against the C. L. Bucki & Son Lumber company, whose office is in New York and mill in Jacksonville, Fla., for \$13,695, and against Charles L. Bucki, president of the company, for \$12,042, both in favor of Henry Weller.

Joseph W. Powers, a Chicago plumber, who lost his wife and property through drink, reformed as a result of his experience, has since made a small fortune, and is soon to remarry the woman who secured a divorce after vainly trying to reform him.

## STEAMER WRECKED

STRUCK UPON THE ROCKS DURING A HEAVY FOG.

Reports Are Conflicting Regarding the Number of Lives Lost—Some Reports Placing the Number at Forty-Five—Boats Were Launched With Great Difficulty, One Being Swamped as Soon as It Touched the Water—Great Anxiety of Friends on Shore.

Plymouth, Feb. 3.—Reports have been received here that the mail steamer Channel Queen has been totally wrecked on the island of Guernsey. The first report that came stated that thirty persons had been lost, and that the captain was the only one of all the party that had been saved. Another report came in to the effect that the disaster was even worse than at first reported, and that forty-four lives were lost. This, so far as can be learned at the present time is the number of missing passengers.

The Channel Queen was running between Plymouth and the island of Jersey, and the morning being very foggy it struck on the rocks, sinking almost immediately. The captain and crew maintained excellent discipline and the boats were launched promptly, but with great difficulty, owing to the heavy sea which was prevailing. One of them was swamped as soon as it touched the water, but another got away with eight or nine people on board and reached the shore in safety. These are the only ones that are definitely known to be saved.

### EASTERN SITUATION SERIOUS.

Japan Believed to Be Making Active Preparations for War.

London, Feb. 3.—A dispatch to the Mail from Nagasaki says: The far Eastern situation is very serious, and it is believed that Japan is actually preparing for war.

London, Feb. 3.—The British warships, according to a dispatch from Shanghai, left Port Arthur of their own accord. The same dispatch says it is reported that three Russian cruisers are steaming off Taku, at the mouth of the Peking river, on the Gulf of Pe Chi Li. The Mail's Hong Kong correspondent says that telegrams from Hainan announce the revolt of tribes in the interior of the island.

London, Feb. 3.—The Peking correspondent of the Times says that Great Britain has definitely withdrawn her demand for the opening of Taitien Wan.

London, Feb. 3.—A dispatch to the Standard from Kobe, Japan, says the emperor of Korea refuses to reside at the Russian legation and the pro-Russian minister has resigned.

### LEAP FOR LIFE.

Men in a Burning Building Jump From Windows.

Omaha, Feb. 3.—Fire cut off the escape of six men who were sleeping over the Rose restaurant. So swiftly did the flames run through the building that the men were compelled to leap from the second story windows before the firemen could raise ladders. Three of the men sustained serious burns and broken bones as a result. The others escaped with slight injuries.

### MISSION OF PEACE.

Spaniards Cheer as the Vizeaya Sails for America.

Cartagena, Feb. 2.—Prior to the sailing of the first-class armored cruiser Vizeaya for the United States the admiral made a speech to the crew, during which he said: "You are charged with a mission of peace."

This announcement was greeted with cheering, and the other ships in the harbor and the crowds of people on the quay also cheered for Spain.

### Bribery Investigation.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 3.—Two hackmen were examined by the senate committee investigating the alleged bribery charges. The purpose of the testimony was an attempt to show that H. H. Boyce, who is alleged to have attempted to bribe Representative Otis, came to Columbus on the afternoon of Jan. 10, inauguration day, and met Maj. Rathbone, one of Senator Hanna's lieutenants. The testimony failed utterly of its purpose.

### Strikers Invited Back.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 3.—Information has reached headquarters of the railroad brotherhoods in this city that chairman of the board of directors of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad has sent circulars to former employees who were engaged in the strike of 1894, inviting them to resume their positions.

### Will Be a Monster.

Chester, Pa., Feb. 3.—Roache's shipyard in this city has concluded a contract to build for the Standard Oil company the largest tank steamship ever constructed in this country. The ship will be 364 feet in length, 48 feet beam and 23 feet deep, and will be built to carry oil in bulk.

### Selling Spirits in Japan.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 3.—Within the past few days hundreds of gallons of spirits have been shipped from Peoria to Japan to be used in the manufacture of smokeless powder. The spirits play an important part in the process, and local houses have found an excellent market for their goods.

### Acting Governor of New Jersey.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 3.—Foster M. Voorhees, president of the senate, was sworn in as acting governor of New Jersey to succeed John W. Griggs, who resigned to become attorney general of the United States.

### Snow Plow Collision.

Bay City, Mich., Feb. 3.—A Detroit & Mackinac snow plow loaded with men, ran into a caboose in the yards at North Bay City. Four men were jammed into the wreck. All were badly hurt.

## NEARING THE END.

Bribery Investigating Committee About Ready to Report.

Columbus, Feb. 2.—The investigation into the alleged attempt to bribe Representative Otis to vote for Senator Hanna during the late senatorial contest is rapidly drawing to an end. The committee held a brief session after the senate adjourned last evening. Attorney T. C. Campbell was the only witness examined. Mr. Campbell told of his personal relations toward Otis. He said he had frequently acted as attorney for Otis and always considered Otis a straightforward and honest man. He said Otis had always been a sort of mild Republican, Campbell said he did not see how Otis could have voted for Hanna as Otis was a member of the Free Silver club.

It is believed the committee will complete its work this week and that a report, or, rather, two reports, will be submitted soon. Senator Garfield will probably submit a minority report, while chairman Burke will submit the report for the majority.

### DULCO WAS TOO LOW.

Shot and Killed by the Man at Whom His Own Gun Was Levelled.

McMinville, Or., Feb. 2.—Fred Clements and Paul Dulco were out hunting and met by accident near the Wilamette river. Dulco saw Clements and changed his course to meet him. When within ten feet, Dulco told Clements he intended to kill him, and brought his gun to his shoulder. Clements warned him to lower the weapon, and, as the warning was not heeded, Clements quickly raised his gun and fired at Dulco's face and killed him instantly. Dulco was found dead, with the cocked gun by his side. A coroner's verdict was justifiable homicide. A feud had existed between the men.

### CREAMERY FAILURE.

Heavy Liabilities of Outman Bros. of Dundee.

Elgin, Ill., Feb. 2.—The failure of Outman Bros., dairymen, with headquarters at Dundee, seems very complete. Executions were issued by the First National Bank of Elgin, and the Elgin Butter Tub company for \$38,000. The Outmans conducted ten creameries in Illinois and seven in Wisconsin, and were among the largest operators of the Elgin board of trade. They also conducted a caramel business in Chicago and owned fruit ranches in California. Assets are estimated at \$175,000, with liabilities exceeding this amount.

### MADE A CONFESSION.

And Then Hung Himself in His Cell.

St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 2.—Henry Goettel, a young German baker, after making a confession to the sheriff to the effect that Herman Breetz and himself wrecked a passenger train near Rivera, on the Florida East Coast last Tuesday night, committed suicide by hanging himself with a towel in the jail. After wrecking the train the amateur wreckers lost their nerve and ran. It was their purpose to hold up the passengers. Breetz, his associate, who occupied the same cell also attempted to kill himself.

### DOUBLE SUICIDE.

Young Man and Wife Found Dead in a Car.

Plattsburg, Mo., Feb. 2.—J. W. Ward, employed as a bookkeeper by the track laying department of the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf railroad, and a young woman who passed as his wife, were found dead in a boarding house eight miles north of here. It is supposedly a case of double suicide by poisoning. Ward had been in the employ of the company for four years and was formerly station agent at Savannah, Mo. Nothing is known of the woman's antecedents.

### ROBBED AND MURDERED.

Aged Couple Found Dead and Their Money All Gone.

Grayson, Ky., Feb. 2.—"Virginia Bill" Friley, an old citizen of Elliott county, aged eighty years, and his wife, aged about seventy years, were murdered at their home in Elliott county, Ky., and robbed of from \$800 to \$1,200. There is no clue to the murderers. A mail was the instrument used. No one was at home except the old couple. The crime is shrouded in mystery. Intense excitement prevails.

### May and December Weds.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—Frank P. Moran, the veteran minstrel, visited the office of Marriage License Clerk Bird and obtained a license to marry Jessie Miller, and actress. Moran is over seventy years old and Miss Miller is said to be about twenty. Moran would not discuss his proposed marriage.

### The Negro Withdraws.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The contest over the appointment of a postmaster at Augusta, Ga., it is now said, will be settled this week. Judson Lyons, the national committeeman from Georgia, to whom appointment strong opposition developed because he is a negro, has withdrawn.

### Divorced at Ninety-Two.

Butler, Ind., Feb. 2.—Andrew Casebeer, nine-two years old, was granted a divorce from his wife, but a few years younger than himself, who now lives with a daughter in Chicago.

### Postoffice Robbery.

Canton, Mass., Feb. 2.—The Canton postoffice was broken into. Blowing open the safe, the robbers carried off over \$2,000 worth of star ps. No clew.

### Mrs. Dorr Ill.

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Julia C. R. Dorr, the well known author and poet, is reported to be critically ill at her home in this city.

### Paid Its Racing Tax.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The Brighton Beach association paid to the state controller \$9,546, its racing tax for 1897. This would indicate that the gross receipts of this association last year were in round numbers \$190,920.

### Editor Pardoned.

Berlin, Feb. 2.—Emperor William, it is reported, has pardoned Herr Trojan, editor of the Kladderatsch, who was sentenced a few days ago to two months' imprisonment for cartooning the emperor.

## Always Delicate

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**The Review.**  
Teacher—Now, children, what did the Master turn the water into?  
Dairyman's Son—The milk, sir.

**Patents Issued.**  
List of patents issued last week to Northwestern inventors:

Robert W. Coombs, McCanna, N. D., grain harvester; William J. Holman, Minneapolis, Minn., locomotive speeding truck; Miland A. Knapp, Minneapolis, Minn., teeth regulator; George H. Lewis, Minneapolis, Minn., spring motor; August Nygren, Elizabeth, Minn., magazine pistol; Hiram N. Rhodes, Duluth, Minn., tire valve; John Rosendahl, Delhi, Minn., combined wrench and nippers; Clarence O. White, Minneapolis, Minn., machine for sizing barrel hoops and securing ends thereof.

Merwin, Lothrop & Johnson, Patent Attorneys, 910, 911 and 912, Pioneer Press Building, St. Paul, Minn.

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Parisian barbers are legally compelled to wash their hands after attending a customer before waiting on another. They must also use only nickel-plated combs.

For lung and chest diseases, Piso's Cure is the best medicine we have used.—Mrs. J. L. Northcott, Windsor, Ont., Canada.

The egg of the Mexican humming bird is about the size of the head of a pin.

Smoke Sledge Cigarettes, 20 for 5 cts.

A man in Chestertown, Md., has a pair of golden fawn rabbits, with ears that measure twenty-one inches from tip to tip.

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BRAINERD, MINNESOTA

If the pension list is increased during the next five years as it has been during the last thirty the government will go bankrupt through its debt of gratitude and wonder what else it was ever saved for.

The girls of a town in Illinois will play football. They will practice in short dresses and play in bloomers. The society and the church of the town are up in arms against this masculinity; but the girls will probably have their own way until they have murdered each other to the last girl. For, of course, having decided to play the manly game, they will play it only as men do.

A man will be more grieved for the loss of a desired object than he could have been pleased with the enjoyment of it; for though the presence of an imaginary good does not always make us miserable; because in the enjoyment of an object we only find that share of pleasure which it is capable of giving us, but in the absence of it we do not proportion our grief to the real value it bears, but to the value our fancies and imaginations set upon it.

Here is a straight tip from a newspaper called Brains. It says there is but one right way to advertise, and that is to hammer your name, your occupation, your business so constantly, so persistently, so thoroughly into the people's heads that if they walk in their sleep they will constantly turn their steps toward your store. The newspaper is your friend in spite of your criticism. It helps to build up the community that supports you. When the day comes that the newspapers are dead the people are on the edge of the grave with nobody to write the epitaph.

If a stomach be not indispensable may not the time come when the scourge of dyspepsia shall be practically unknown? With the abolition of dyspepsia the heresy hunter would find his occupation a thankless one; the unfair critic would leave his bludgeon and coo like a dove; the policeman and the west side conductor would cultivate a memory and the motorman would stop at street crossings in wet weather; the preacher would study St. John more than Jeremiah; cab drivers would consider the rights of pedestrians; even poets would be tolerated as harmless; the anarchist orator would have to earn his living; the demagogue would be out of a job.

When the unemployed can become not only self-supporting but wealth-producing, the hardest problem of civilization will be in a fair way to be solved. The colony of Victoria, Australia, has brought about both results by establishing village settlements near swamp lands, and maintaining the settlers while they reclaimed the waste and raised a first crop. Twenty-five hundred families that once were homeless now live in comfort on these formerly worthless lands—and the increase in the value of the reclaimed tract has more than covered the government's expenditure. Over such an achievement, philanthropy and finance, who should be better friends than they are, are fully justified in shaking hands.

Germans are adopting American machinery for their manufacturing and American ideas as well. The English manufacturer proclaims boldly—probably for the effect it may have upon his workmen—that if he cannot adopt American machinery and methods in Great Britain he will have to shut up shop. The Germans and English may be able to compete with each other with the aid of American machinery and they may be able to excel all the world save this great country from which they are drawing new inspirations. But they cannot go the American pace. Having caught up with them we will pass them—distance them, perhaps—for in all the world there is no such combination of excellence as in these United States of America.

Unfortunate borrowers frequently pay such a debt two or three times over, in the form of interest, and then, failing once to yield their monthly tribute, lose all the belongings of the home, from bed to cooking stove. It is therefore distinctly in line with its purposes that the Salvation Army should propose to open loan offices where a poor man may obtain money, in an emergency, without enslaving himself for life to a "cutthroat mortgage." Some churches have already taken the same step in practical Christianity. Since the business will, when honestly and considerably managed, yield a fair return on capital, there seems no good reason why philanthropists in every community should not unite to keep it out of the hands of scoundrels.

A few persons have done a profitable business in tree planting in this country, but this occupation will probably not be followed by individuals, as the time required for trees to mature is too long. Governments do not die like individuals, and for this reason certain economic industries are more suitable for governments to control than for individuals to undertake. Tree planting is one of comparatively few businesses which we believe the government can prosecute more successfully than can any private individual or corporation.

## THE NEWS RESUME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week Culled From the Telegraph Reports—The Notable Events at Home and Abroad That Have Attracted Attention.

### Washington Talk.

The Victoria, B. C., board of trade has telegraphed Hon. Mr. Sifton, minister of the interior, demanding the closing of the pass at the head of Linn canal until satisfactory arrangements are made with the United States.

Commissioner Evans, of the pension department, expresses the opinion that it would be proper for postmasters to refer letters in reference to pension cases addressed to them to the nearest special examiner or to the commissioner of pensions, if the address of the examiner is not known.

### Casualties.

Gustav Koenig, a young farmer living near Marshalltown, Iowa, had his hand smashed in a corn sheller.

John C. Lorschbaugh, aged 44, was killed by his team as he was leading them into the barn at Durand, Wis. He leaves a widow and large family.

### Criminal.

Oscar Webster, a carpenter of Humboldt, Iowa, has confessed to robbing the postoffice at Pioneer last winter.

Ed P. Vickor, a prominent lawyer of Birmingham, Ala., was shot dead by Dr. J. C. Taylor. The trouble arose over an unpaid bill.

William Figer has been sentenced to be shot at Eufala, I. T., for the murder of Sitka McIntosh last summer. Both parties are Creek Indians.

Dr. H. S. Bonney has been fined \$100 and costs, at Harrisonville, Mo., for selling intoxicating liquors without a license.

For some unknown reason, Frank L. Ribe, a 14-year-old boy of Greenville, Miss., committed suicide by hanging himself. He was the only support of his widowed mother.

Henry E. Van Duen, former passenger agent at St. Louis for the Big Four, and lately district representative of the Woolson Coffee and Spice company, committed suicide at the Tremont hotel at Quincy, Ill.

Saunders & Hoffmeyer, druggists of Grantsburg, Wis., were arrested, being charged with selling liquor. Hoffmeyer pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs. This is the first conviction since the town went "dry" last spring.

At Napa, Cal., in the presence of the sheriff and district attorney of Napa county and six other witnesses George Willard Clark has confessed that he was the murderer of his brother, W. A. Clark, at St. Helena.

At Galveston, Tex., the jury in the case of Virgil Gallagher, charged with killing his mother last August, returned a verdict of guilty and assessed the death penalty. Gallagher is a medical student twenty years old.

### Foreign Notes.

Paul Felix Tailade, the well known and veteran French actor, is dead.

Lieut. Gen. Sir Frederick Dobson Middleton, keeper of the crown jewels, is dead.

The Paris correspondent of the London Daily News is "convinced" that the agitation will eventually lead to a new trial for Dreyfus.

A colliery accident near Mons, Belgium, has resulted in the death of seventeen persons.

An effort has been made in Scotland looking to the adoption of some steps to check or regulate the sale of foreign meats in Scotch markets.

Herr Trojan, editor of Klanderatsch, Berlin, has been sentenced to two months imprisonment for lese majeste in cartooning Emperor William.

The state department has been informed through Consul General Govey at Kanagawa, Japan, of the death at that place of Joseph Heco, the interpreter to the consulate.

It is rumored that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria will shortly announce the betrothal of the archduchess Elizabeth, daughter of the late Crown Prince Rudolph, to the king of Spain.

The British steamer Darlington, Capt. Dunbar, laden with cotton from Galveston, Jan. 20, for Hamburg, went ashore at Marquesas Keys, Fla. Her captain and mate have arrived at Key West.

James O'Sullivan, national secretary of the A. O. H., has received a cablegram from Dublin stating that the week commencing Aug. 21 has been fixed upon for the principal exercises in Ireland in connection with the centenary of the insurrection of 1798.

Natal has been enlarged by the annexation of Zululand and Amatongaland under letters patent issued by the crown. That the Transvaal Republic and the Orange Free State are not also annexed is due to a little miscalculation made two years ago.

The Neuste Nachrichten of Berlin announces that the German warships are still sounding Kiao Chou bay, adding that the exact site of the port is not yet fixed and that the government intends that the construction of the commercial port shall be borne by private companies. It is further stated that one company has already been formed to construct the docks.

### People Talked About.

Carl W. Belzer, professor of Latin in the University of Colorado, is dead at Boulder.

Secretary Gage has accepted an invitation to deliver an address before the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce on March 19.

John F. Steinbrenner, president of the Chapin Hill Lumber company, died at Newark, N. J., from an overdose of laudanum.

A telegram from Palm Beach, Fla., announces the death at that place of Mrs. Mary Payne Bingham, of Cleveland. Mrs. Bingham was a daughter of the late Senator Henry B. Payne.

Announcement is made at Chillicothe, Mo., of the marriage of Rev. W. E. Dockery, aged 74, and Mrs. Julia Linbeck, a widow of 45. Rev. Dockery is a superannuated Methodist minister, and father of Congressman Dockery of Missouri.

Mrs. Minnie Wallace Walkup Ketcham, widow of the late well known club man of Chicago, John B. Ketcham, has been sued by her former attorney, D. C. Hensen, for \$20,000, to which he alleges he is entitled as recompense for services.

On the application of both sides the suit brought at New York by George R. Hathaway and Richard Heard against Fridtjof Nansen, the Arctic explorer, to recover \$20,000 damages for breach of contract in failing to complete the fifty lectures which it was alleged Nansen had agreed to deliver, was discontinued.

Andrew M. Moore, senior member of the firm of Moore & Sinsott, wholesale whisky dealers of Philadelphia, and owner of the Girard house, died from a complication of diseases resulting from a severe fall two months ago. Mr. Moore was in his eighty-fourth year. He leaves a fortune valued at \$5,000,000.

### Sporting Items.

Columbia will take part this year in three dual track meets, Brown Cornell and Princeton will be the opponents.

President Nick Young's schedule will be complete and ready for the approval of the magnates by Feb. 15.

A series of match races have been arranged at Minneapolis between John S. Johnson and John F. Davidson of St. Paul.

Manager George P. Stallings promises to hand out fines with a lavish hand next season. The Phillies are to be ruled with an iron hand.

"A team that could land in sixth place or better would make \$40,000 in a season at St. Louis," said Stanley Robinson, of the Cleveland club.

It is announced that the board of stewards of the grand trotting circuit will meet in Detroit early in February to may out the circuit for the coming season.

Kid McPartland and Jack Hanley have been matched to box twenty rounds in Toronto on Feb. 7. George Siler will be asked to referee the bout.

After six years of exile from the turf Johnnie Brannon, one of the notorious Brannon brothers, of Polk Badget fame, has been reinstated to the full rights and privileges of the tracks.

President Davidson of the Kentucky association track says he will give matinee races beginning early in March for the purpose of holding the 200 horses now in Lexington.

Dick O'Brien, who is at Lewiston, Me., says he will meet any middleweight in the world at 158 pounds, for \$500 to \$5,000 a side. O'Brien declares he is in the best of condition.

John Lawson Johnstone of Kingwood, Kent, has sold the racing cutter Britannia, formerly the property of the prince of Wales, to Ernest Teran Hooley, the millionaire speculator.

It is said that Lilly Langtry is determined that she will race her stable of thoroughbreds on this side of the water this year. She races under the name of Mr. Jersey. It has always been an ambition with her to race in America.

### Otherwise.

The Prairie Methodist Episcopal church, of Kildare, Okla., has just taken out articles of incorporation.

The Century Road Club of America has extended the hand of fellowship to professionals.

The Ohio senate has adopted a resolution to investigate trusts. A committee of five senators will conduct the investigation.

The making of annuity payments to 1,600 Indians has begun at Pawhuska, the capital of the Osage nation, Okla., and will last for a week.

The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue shows the total receipts for December to have been \$14,373,682, a gain for the month of \$1,107,520.

The hair of Mrs. James Snyder, of Maude, Okla., turned white from fright during the late excitement caused by the reports of a Seminole uprising.

At Crown Point, Ind., "Jimmie" Michael, the Welsh bicyclist, through his attorney, has filed a suit for a divorce from his wife, Fanny Michael, nee Lewis.

A steamer to be used on the Upper Snake river has been shipped in sections from Portland by rail to Huntington, Ore. This is an incident in a big scheme of mining development in Eastern Oregon and Idaho.

In anticipation of the new immigration law going into effect the rush of immigration to this country has started. The Tartar Prince has arrived at New York with 720 persons in the steerage. The vessel comes from Italian ports.

The jury in the damage case of Mira Rogers vs. William Hamm at Fort Dodge, after being out about twenty hours, brought in a verdict of \$2,300 for the plaintiff. The amount asked for was \$10,000. Mrs. Rogers brought suit for selling liquor to her husband.

The reorganization committee of the Union Pacific Railroad company has filed articles of incorporation with Secretary of State Porter at Lincoln, Neb. The capital stock is placed at \$136,000,000. The fee for filing amounted to \$13,603.50.

The scheduled meeting of the National base ball league to be held in St. Louis next month will bring together the principal sporting writers of the country, and especially those of the twelve cities in which league clubs are located.

Attachments have been issued at New York against the C. L. Bucki & Son Lumber company, whose office is in New York and mill in Jacksonville, Fla., for \$13,635, and against Charles L. Bucki, president of the company, for \$12,042, both in favor of Henry Weller.

Joseph W. Powers, a Chicago plumber, who lost his wife and property through drink, reformed as a result of his experience, has since made a small fortune, and is soon to remarry the woman who secured a divorce after vainly trying to reform him.

## STEAMER WRECKED

STRUCK UPON THE ROCKS DURING A HEAVY FOG.

Reports Are Conflicting Regarding the Number of Lives Lost—Some Reports Placing the Number at Forty-Five—Boats Were Launched With Great Difficulty, One Being Swamped as Soon as It Touched the Water—Great Anxiety of Friends on Shore.

Plymouth, Feb. 3. — Reports have been received here that the mail steamer Channel Queen has been totally wrecked on the Island of Guernsey. The first report that came stated that thirty persons had been lost, and that the captain was the only one of all the party that had been saved. Another report came in to the effect that the disaster was even worse than at first reported, and that forty-four lives were lost. This, so far as can be learned at the present time is the number of missing passengers.

The Channel Queen was running between Plymouth and the Island of Jersey, and the morning being very foggy it struck on the rocks, sinking almost immediately. The captain and crew maintained excellent discipline and the boats were launched promptly, but with great difficulty, owing to the heavy sea which was prevailing. One of them was swamped as soon as it touched the water, but another got away with eight or nine people on board and reached the shore in safety. These are the only ones that are definitely known to be saved.

### EASTERN SITUATION SERIOUS.

Japan Believed to Be Making Active Preparations for War.

London, Feb. 3.—A dispatch to the Mail from Nagasaki says: The far Eastern situation is very serious, and it is believed that Japan is actually preparing for war.

London, Feb. 3.—The British warships, according to a dispatch from Shanghai, left Port Arthur of their own accord. The same dispatch says it is reported that three Russian cruisers are steaming off Taku, at the mouth of the Peking river, on the Gulf of Pe Chi Li. The Mail's Hongkong correspondent says that telegrams from Hainan announce the revolt of tribes in the interior of the island.

London, Feb. 3.—The Peking correspondent of the Times says that Great Britain has definitely withdrawn her demand for the opening of Taitien Wan.

London, Feb. 3.—A dispatch to the Standard from Kobe, Japan, says the emperor of Korea refuses to reside at the Russian legation and the pro-Russian minister has resigned.

### LEAP FOR LIFE.

Men in a Burning Building Jump From Windows.

Omaha, Feb. 3.—Fire cut off the escape of six men who were sleeping over the Rose restaurant. So swiftly did the flames run through the building that the men were compelled to leap from the second story windows before the firemen could raise ladders. Three of the men sustained serious burns and broken bones as a result. The others escaped with slight injuries.

### MISSION OF PEACE.

Spaniards Cheer as the Vixenya Sails for America.

Cartagena, Feb. 2.—Prior to the sailing of the first-class armored cruiser Vixenya for the United States the admiral made a speech to the crew, during which he said: "You are charged with a mission of peace." This announcement was greeted with cheering, and the other ships in the harbor and the crowds of people on the quay also cheered for Spain.

### Bribery Investigation.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 3.—Two hackmen were examined by the senate committee investigating the alleged bribery charges. The purpose of the testimony was an attempt to show that H. H. Boyce, who is alleged to have attempted to bribe Representative Otis, came to Columbus on the afternoon of Jan. 10, inauguration day, and met Maj. Rathbone, one of Senator Hanna's lieutenants. The testimony failed utterly of its purpose.

### Strikers Invited Back.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 3.—Information has reached headquarters of the railroad brotherhoods in this city that chairman of the board of directors of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad has sent circulars to former employees who were engaged in the strike of 1894, inviting them to resume their positions.

### Will Be a Monster.

Chester, Pa., Feb. 3.—Roache's shipyard in this city has concluded a contract to build for the Standard Oil company the largest tank steamship ever constructed in this country. The ship will be 364 feet in length, 48 feet beam and 23 feet deep, and will be built to carry oil in bulk.

### Selling Spirits in Japan.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 3.—Within the past few days hundreds of gallons of spirits have been shipped from Peoria to Japan to be used in the manufacture of smokeless powder. The spirits play an important part in the process, and local houses have found an excellent market for their goods.

### Acting Governor of New Jersey.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 3.—Foster M. Voorhees, president of the senate, was sworn in as acting governor of New Jersey to succeed John W. Griggs, who resigned to become attorney general of the United States.

### Snow Plow Collision.

Bay City, Mich., Feb. 3.—A Detroit & Mackinac snow plow loaded with men, ran into a caboose in the yards at North Bay City. Four men were jammed into the wreck. All were badly hurt.

## NEARING THE END.

Bribery Investigating Committee About Ready to Report.

Columbus, Feb. 2. — The investigation into the alleged attempt to bribe Representative Otis to vote for Senator Hanna during the late senatorial contest is rapidly drawing to an end. The committee held a brief session after the senate adjourned last evening. Attorney T. C. Campbell was the only witness examined. Mr. Campbell told of his personal relations toward Otis. He said he had frequently acted as attorney for Otis and always considered Otis a straightforward and honest man. He said Otis had always been a sort of mild Republican. Campbell said he did not see how Otis could have voted for Hanna as Otis was a member of the Free Silver club.

It is believed the committee will complete its work this week and that a report, or rather two reports, will be submitted soon. Senator Garfield will probably submit a minority report, while chairman Burke will submit the report for the majority.

### DULCO WAS TOO LOW.

Shot and Killed by the Man at Whom His Own Gun Was Levelled.

McMinnville, Or., Feb. 2.—Fred Clements and Paul Dulco were out hunting and met by accident near the Willamette river. Dulco saw Clements and changed his course to meet him. When within ten feet, Dulco told Clements he intended to kill him, and brought his gun to his shoulder. Clements warned him to lower the weapon, and, as the warning was not heeded, Clements quickly raised his gun and fired at Dulco's face and killed him instantly. Dulco was found dead, with the cocked gun by his side. A coroner's verdict was justifiable homicide. A feud had existed between the men.

### CREAMERY FAILURE.

Heavy Liabilities of Outman Bros. of Dundee.

Elgin, Ill., Feb. 2.—The failure of Outman Bros., dairymen, with headquarters at Dundee, seems very complete. Executions were issued by the First National Bank of Elgin, and the Elgin Butter Tub company for \$38,000. The Outmans conducted ten creameries in Illinois and seven in Wisconsin, and were among the largest operators on the Elgin board of trade. They also conducted a caramel business in Chicago and owned fruit ranches in California. Assets are estimated at \$175,000, with liabilities exceeding this amount.

### MADE A CONFESSION.

And Then Hung Himself in His Cell.

St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 2.—Henry Goettel, a young German baker, after making a confession to the sheriff to the effect that Herman Breetz and himself wrecked a passenger train near Rivera, on the Florida East Coast last Tuesday night, committed suicide by hanging himself with a towel in the jail. After wrecking the train the amateur wreckers lost their nerve and ran. It was their purpose to hold up the passengers. Breetz, his associate, who occupied the same cell also attempted to kill himself.

### DOUBLE SUICIDE.

Young Man and Wife Found Dead in a Car.

Plattsburg, Mo., Feb. 2.—J. W. Ward, employed as a bookkeeper by the track laying department of the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf railroad, and a young woman who passed as his wife, were found dead in a boarding house eight miles north of here. It is supposedly a case of double suicide by poisoning. Ward had been in the employ of the company for four years and was formerly station agent at Savannah, Mo. Nothing is known of the woman's antecedents.

### ROBBED AND MURDERED.

Aged Couple Found Dead and Their Money All Gone.

Grayson, Ky., Feb. 2.—"Virginia Bill" Friley, an old citizen of Elliott county, aged eighty years, and his wife, aged about seventy years, were murdered at their home in Elliott county, Ky., and robbed of from \$800 to \$1,200. There is no clue to the murderers. A mail was the instrument used. No one was at home except the old couple. The crime is shrouded in mystery. Intense excitement prevails.

### May and December Weds.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—Frank P. Moran, the veteran minstrel, visited the office of Marriage License Clerk Bird and obtained a license to marry Jessie Miller, and actress. Moran is over seventy years old and Miss Miller is said to be about twenty. Moran would not discuss his proposed marriage.

### The Negro Withdraws.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The contest over the appointment of a postmaster at Augusta, Ga., it is now said, will be settled this week. Judson Lyons, the national committeeman from Georgia, to whose appointment strong opposition developed because he is a negro, has withdrawn.

### Divorced at Ninety-Two.

Butler, Ind., Feb. 2.—Andrew Casebeer, nine-two years old, was granted a divorce from his wife, but a few years younger than himself, who now lives with a daughter in Chicago.

### Postoffice Robbery.

Canton, Mass., Feb. 2.—The Canton postoffice was broken into. Blowing open the safe, the robbers carried off over \$2,000 worth of stamps. No clew.

### Mrs. Dorr Ill.

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Julia C. R. Dorr, the well known author and poet, is reported to be critically ill at her home in this city.

### Paid Its Racing Tax.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The Brighton Beach association paid to the state controller \$9,546, its racing tax for 1897. This would indicate that the gross receipts of this association last year were in round numbers \$190,920.

### Editor Pardoned.

Berlin, Feb. 2.—Emperor William, it is reported, has pardoned Herr Trojan, editor of the Klanderatsch, who was sentenced a few days ago to two months' imprisonment for cartooning the emperor.

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The Review.  
Teacher—Now, children, what did the Master turn the water into?  
Dairymen's Son—The milk, sir.

Patents Issued.  
List of patents issued last week to Northwestern inventors:

Robert W. Coombs, McCanna, N. D., grain harvester; William J. Holman, Minneapolis, Minn., locomotive speeding truck; Miland A. Knapp, Minneapolis, Minn., teeth regulator; George H. Lewis, Minneapolis, Minn., spring motor; August Nygren, Elizabeth, Minn., magazine pistol; Hiram N. Rhodes, Duluth, Minn., tire valve; John Rosendahl, Delhi, Minn., combined wrench and nipper; Clarence O. White, Minneapolis, Minn., machine for sizing barrel hoops and securing ends thereof.

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## WORK OF CONGRESS

Washington, Jan. 27.—For more than six hours the senate had under discussion the Teller resolution providing the government pay the principal and interest of the bonds of the United States in silver. By agreement the resolution and pending amendments were to be voted upon before adjournment to-day. The debate was devoid of sensational incidents and acrimonious colloquies which characterized that of the day before, but it was replete with argument and oratory. The time was consumed by Mr. Teller of Colorado, the author of the resolution, and Mr. Daniel of Virginia, who supported the resolution, and by Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts and Mr. Platt of Connecticut, in opposition to it. All delivered set speeches except Mr. Hoar, whose speech was in reply to some points advanced by Mr. Teller yesterday. No other business was transacted.

**In the House.**  
The house devoted another day to the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill, most of the time being consumed as on the two previous days, in discussing extraneous subjects. By far the most interesting feature of the day was the debate on the question of reducing the mail carrier service in the large cities owing to the failure of the senate to attach the estimated deficiency of \$160,000 to the urgent deficiency bill. A dozen representatives from as many different cities protested against the proposed reduction and urged an immediate appropriation, when Chairman Loud, of the postoffice committee, and Chairman Cannon, of the appropriation committee, allayed the wrath of the members by assuring them that there was no occasion for alarm; that the service could not possibly suffer until June 15, before which time there would be ample opportunity to pass a deficiency appropriation. Mr. Loud used strong words in his criticism of the postoffice department officials, and promised some interesting disclosures later on. The motion to strike out the appropriation for the Carlisle Indian school was defeated after considerable debate—23 to 65. Ten pages of the bill were disposed of. The conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was adopted.

Washington, Jan. 28.—At 6 p. m. to-day the senate will vote upon the Teller resolution and the pending amendments thereto. When the senate yesterday took up the resolution the agreement made last week that the final vote upon it should be taken before adjournment Thursday was changed in order that all senators Jersey and Cockrell of Missouri. Mr. Daniel concluded the speech he began Wednesday. Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts and Mr. Caffery of Louisiana opened by Messrs. Daniel of Virginia, Lindsay of Kentucky, Smith of New Mexico and others. The resolution being under discussion throughout practically the entire session. The speeches in support of the resolution were delivered by Messrs. Daniel of Virginia, Lindsay of Kentucky, Smith of New Mexico and others. The resolution being under discussion throughout practically the entire session. The speeches in support of the resolution were delivered by Messrs. Daniel of Virginia, Lindsay of Kentucky, Smith of New Mexico and others.

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**Murderer Confesses That He Killed Mrs. Fanny Rathburn and Her Daughter.**

Burlington, Iowa, Special.—A. B. Storrer has confessed the murder of Mrs. Fanny Rathburn and her daughter Mary. The confession was made to Chief of Police Greiner and the county attorney. Storrer says he committed the deed Sunday night, Jan. 23. He killed the mother first in the cellar. Then he enticed the girl into the room above, and after a terrible struggle to outrage her, cut her throat. The confession was obtained after a long siege of sweat-box examination. After it was obtained Storrer was taken to the morgue, although he begged not to see the bodies of his victims. He turned sickly pale and trembled violently when he gazed upon his victims.

Threats of lynching are heard on all sides, and the mayor announces that he will issue a proclamation that the county jail will be guarded by armed men, who will resist with bullets any attempt at lynching. A rumor is abroad that a mob is collecting in Green Bay bottoms, the home of Storrer's gang, to come here and lynch him.

### CORONA WENT DOWN.

**Alaska-Bound Vessel Wrecked Near Lewis Island.**

Seattle, Wash., Special.—A special to the Times from Victoria says that news has been received there that the steamer Corona, which left Seattle with 250 passengers Jan. 20 for South-eastern Alaska ports, had been wrecked near Lewis Island. Every pound of freight and baggage is lost. No further particulars are given.

The Corona was a screw propeller 220 feet long, 35 feet beam, 9 feet 5 inches hold; was built in Philadelphia in 1888 and has been running on the coast ever since. She is well known to Southern California, having run between San Francisco and San Diego for some years. She was a 15-knot boat and was equipped with all modern improvements. This was to have been the last trip of the Corona, as she was to have been transferred to the Southern California division on her return.

### A FREIGHT WRECK.

**One Man Killed and Another Seriously Injured.**

Burlington, Wis., Special.—Engineer Patrick Walsh was killed and Fireman George McCarthy probably fatally injured in a freight wreck at Gray's Lake, on the Wisconsin Central. The cause of the accident is said to be due to the freight train, north-bound, in charge of Engineer Walsh, being stuck in the snow and a misunderstanding in orders. Two other engines were brought to the aid of the stalled freight, and in running down a steep grade collided with a south-bound freight, wrecking the engines at the head of each train and several cars.

### SUIT WITHDRAWN.

**Ex-Treasurer McGill Is Not to Be Prosecuted.**

West Superior, Wis., Special.—Town Treasurer John Erickson, of the town of Superior, will withdraw his action against ex-Treasurer C. H. Gill, wherein he charged him with embezzling \$37,000. Gill proposes to hand the records and money of the town over to Erickson. The case has been frequently adjourned since it was begun, it is said, to give Gill time to make up his report, since he had not kept a complete record of the moneys passing through his hands.

### ABDUCTING HER CHILD.

**The Charge Under Which Mrs. Clark Has Been Arrested.**

Eau Claire, Wis., Special.—Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Clark of Stevens Point, sisters, were arrested last night at Chippewa Falls, charged with abducting a little girl, a few weeks old, from the State Woman's Christian Temperance home in this city. Mrs. Clark is the mother of the child, which she had given to the home, renouncing, it is claimed, all her rights.

### SHE IS NOW A SNAW.

**A White Woman in Montana Marries a Full-Blood Indian.**

Great Falls, Mont., Special.—Mrs. Minnie Cushman, a white woman and teacher in the Fort Shaw schools, was clandestinely married to Garrett White, a full-blood Piegan Indian, at Du Puy yesterday. The bride is a daughter of C. C. Bateman, chaplain of the United States army at Fort Belknap. She is a handsome brunette, twenty-six years old.

### Dispute as to Funds.

Black River Falls, Wis., Special.—Considerable of a muss has been stirred up in the volunteer fire company of this city over the action of its treasurer, F. A. Long, the present state factory inspector, who refuses to pay the orders drawn against its fund, amounting to \$1,450. Mr. Long contends that the fund earned by the fire company is not theirs to use as they please, and that the division pro rata apportioned among the members is a violation of law.

### Glandered Horses.

Cumberland, Wis., Special.—H. P. Clute, state veterinarian of Marinette, was called here this week to examine some horses supposed to be afflicted with glanders. He found two genuine cases and ordered the animals to be shot.

### No More Boxing in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Special.—Chief of Police Janssen has decided to put a stop to all boxing contests in this city in the future.

### Game Warden Settled.

Brainerd, Minn., Feb. 2.—The suit of J. H. Hallett against Game Warden Atherton, to recover on a seizure of ducks made by the latter, was settled by the payment to Hallett of the amount of his claim.

### Home for the Aged.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 2.—The German Lutherans in the synods of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan have decided to establish a home for the aged people without relatives at Belle Plaine, Minn.

## THE MARKETS.

**Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.**

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 98c; No. 3 red, 92c; 95c; No. 2 spring, 90c; 91c; No. 3 spring, 83c; 86c; No. 2 hard winter, 90c; 91c; No. 3 hard winter, 84c; 87c; No. 1 new spring, 98c. Cash corn—No. 2, 27c; 4c; 28c; No. 3, 27c; 27 1-2c. Cash oats—No. 2, 24c; 24 1-2c; No. 3, 24c.

Milwaukee, Feb. 3.—Flour steady. Wheat stronger; No. 1 Northern, 95c; No. 2 spring, 90c; 92c; May, 95c. Corn firm; No. 3, 27 1-2c. Oats higher; No. 2 white, 24 1-2c. Rye higher; No. 1, 48c; 48 1-2c. Barley steady, No. 2, 40 1-2c; sample, 30c; 38c.

Minneapolis, Feb. 3.—Wheat—May opened at 93c and closed at 93 3-4c; July opened at 92c and closed at 93 1-8c. On track—No. 1 hard, 96 1-2c; No. 1 Northern, 96c; No. 2 Northern, 92c.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Hogs—Light, \$3.65c; 35c; mixed, \$3.75c; 35c; heavy, \$3.65c; 35c; rough, \$3.65c; 35c. Cattle—Beef, \$3.85c; 35c; cows and heifers, \$2.25c; 44c; Texas steers, \$3.50c; 43c; stockers and feeders, \$3.25c; 40c. Sheep—Natives, \$3.60c; 40c; Westerns, \$3.50c; 45c; lambs, \$4.25c; 55c.

South St. Paul, Feb. 3.—Hogs—\$3.30c; 35c. Cattle—Bulls, \$3.10c; 35c; steers, \$3.85c; 45c; calves, \$4.05c; 25c; cows, \$2.35c; 65c; stockers, \$3.65c; 45c. Sheep, \$3.75c; 45c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Feb. 3.—Hogs—\$3.55c; 35c. Cattle—Canners, \$2.25c; cows, \$3.75c; heifers, \$3.35c; 35c; bulls, \$3.67c; 35c; yearlings, \$4.64c; 40c; calves, \$3.64c; 45c; stockers, \$3.75c; 44c. Sheep, \$3.70c; 45c.

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### THE OLDEST BODGER.

**Owen Sullivan, Aged 105, Barred at Delavan.**

Delavan, Wis., Special.—Owen Sullivan, aged 105, was buried in the Delavan Catholic cemetery yesterday. He was probably the oldest man in Wisconsin. He was born in Ireland in 1793 and came to America in 1838. He has lived in this vicinity since 1840. He is said to have been married five times and was the father of seventeen children, nearly all of whom are dead. He was a devout Catholic, an enthusiastic Democrat and gloried in the fact that he never had his picture taken.

### TWO MEN KILLED.

**Disastrous Explosion in a Paper Mill.**

Milwaukee, Special.—A special to the Sentinel from Marinette, Wis., says: A terrible explosion occurred at the Park paper mills. One of the digesters in the sulphite mill blew up. A large three-story brick building is in ruins, two men are dead and a third seriously injured.

### On a Technicality.

Elroy, Wis., Special.—The cases against the blind pigs were again dismissed. The case against Fred Balfrany was brought under the local option law. After some difficulty a jury was empaneled. A motion was then made that the case be dismissed on the grounds that the local option law was not in force here as the clerk had neglected to enter it upon the city record. The cases will now be brought in behalf of the state.

### Burned to a Crisp.

Eau Claire, Wis., Special.—W. W. Bartlett and wife were aroused by screams from the basement and Mr. Bartlett there found his mother, Mrs. Ruth A. Bartlett, on the floor, her clothing in flames. He extinguished them with a piece of carpet, but she died, being burned to a crisp. The jury rendered a verdict of accidental death. Kerosene she was handling was supposed to have accidentally caught fire.

### Victims of the Spokane Horror.

Spokane, Wash., Special.—The charred remains of five of the victims of the Great Eastern block fire have been taken from the ruins. Two bodies have been identified. They are W. B. Gordon and Mrs. Cora Peters, and there is little doubt that the others are Mrs. Peters' three children. Mr. Gordon had gone into the building to try to save Mrs. Peters and her children.

### Deep Waterways.

Detroit, Mich., Special.—The deep-waterways commission has just closed a two days' session here. The meeting was for the purpose of reviewing the progress of the field parties to date. No work was laid out. It will be some months before the deductions from the field notes will be available upon which to base some estimate of the cost of the deep water channel past Niagara.

### Theft a Small One.

Humboldt, Iowa, Special.—Oscar Webster had been bailed out of jail and is now at large. He was arrested for burglarizing the postoffice at Plover, and tried last week. His friends think his case is not at all serious. But little of value was taken, and if Mr. Webster had not confessed it would have been impossible to prove him the guilty party.

### Operation Upon Spooner's Son.

Madison, Wis., Special.—At the Passavant hospital in Chicago, Will M. Spooner, second son of Senator J. C. Spooner, underwent an operation for appendicitis. It was that which called his father from Washington and prevented him speaking against the Teller resolution. Young Spooner is about twenty-four and practices law with his father here.

### Buried Under Snow Drifts.

Waterville, Me., Feb. 2.—Small residences have been buried by twenty-foot drifts of snow. The Lockwood cotton mills have been closed, the operatives being unable to reach the factory. There has been no train over the Maine Central railroad for twenty-four hours.

### Organ Factory Burned.

Clinton, Ont., Feb. 2.—The Doherty organ factory, with all its contents, was burned. Loss, \$80,000; insurance, \$25,000.

## MINNESOTA NEWS

### BOLD ROBBERY.

**Masked Burglars Compel a Woman to Hand Over \$460.**

Minneapolis, Special.—A bold robbery was committed in this city at the residence of Elmer Vandevere. The sum of \$460 was taken. Mr. Vandevere, who is employed as a scaler by J. W. Day & Co., had not as yet returned from work. Mrs. Vandevere was alone, and busy preparing the evening meal. She heard footsteps on the outside, and supposing they were those of her husband, paid no attention to them, other than to hurry in her preparations for the meal. Then the door opened and immediately closed. Two masked men stood before her and a revolver met her gaze. One of the men immediately made their mission known, and commanded her to hand over what money there was in the house. The woman was thoroughly frightened, and gathered together the savings of months and in a nearly fainting condition handed \$460 to the robbers.

### ELECTION AT DULUTH.

**Mayor Truelson Re-elected by a Large Majority.**

Duluth, Minn., Special.—Henry Truelson was re-elected mayor of this city over Elmer F. Mitchell, Rep., by a majority of about 1,200. He was nominated by the Populists and endorsed by the Democrats. In the campaign party lines were largely lost sight of. The campaign against Truelson was made on alleged corruption in his police department. Of the nine new members of the common council four are Republicans, one gold Democrat, one Independent and three silver and fusion.

### DEAD COMES TO LIFE.

**Adrian Man Takes Laudanum and Fools the Undertaker.**

Adrian, Minn., Special.—Ed Lindsey, a well known character of this place, drank laudanum with suicidal intent one day last week, was pronounced dead by the attending physician a few hours after swallowing the dose and was about to be turned over to the coroner, who had decided an autopsy necessary, when he came to life and refused positively to be numbered with the great majority.

### VALUABLE FOOT.

**Jury at Willmar Gives a Plaintiff a Verdict for \$8,000.**

Willmar, Minn., Special.—The main case on the calendar here has been concluded. It is the case of Charles W. Thompson against the Great Northern Railway company.



## WORK OF CONGRESS

Washington, Jan. 27.—For more than six hours the senate had under discussion the Teller resolution providing the government pay the principal and interest of the bonds of the United States in silver. By agreement the resolution and pending amendments were to be voted upon before adjournment to-day. The debate was devoid of sensational incidents and acrimonious colloquies which characterized that of the day before, but it was replete with argument and oratory. The time was consumed by Mr. Teller of Colorado, the author of the resolution, and Mr. Daniel of Virginia, who supported the resolution, and by Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts and Mr. Platt of Connecticut, in opposition to it. All delivered set speeches except Mr. Hoar, whose speech was in reply to some points advanced by Mr. Teller yesterday. No other business was transacted.

**In the House.**  
The house devoted another day to the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill, most of the time being consumed as on the two previous days, in discussing extraneous subjects. By far the most interesting feature of the day was the debate on the question of reducing the mail carrier service in the large cities owing to the failure of the senate to attach the estimated deficiency of \$100,000 to the urgent deficiency bill. A dozen representatives from as many different cities protested against the proposed reduction and urged an immediate appropriation, when Chairman Loud, of the postoffice committee, and Chairman Cannon, of the appropriation committee, allayed the wrath of the members by assuring them that there was no occasion for alarm; that the service could not possibly suffer until June 15, before which time there would be ample opportunity to pass a deficiency appropriation. Mr. Loud used strong words in his criticism of the postoffice department officials, and promised some interesting disclosures later on. The motion to strike out the appropriation for the Carlisle Indian school was defeated after considerable debate—29 to 65. Ten pages of the bill were disposed of. The conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was adopted.

Washington, Jan. 28.—At 6 p. m. to-day the senate will vote upon the Teller resolution and the pending amendments thereto. When the senate yesterday took up the resolution the agreement made last week that the final vote upon it should be taken before adjournment Thursday was changed in order that all senators Jersey and Cockrell of Missouri. Mr. Daniel concluded the speech he began Wednesday. Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts and Mr. Caffery of Louisiana offered by Messrs. Daniel of Virginia, Lindsay of Kentucky, Smith of New might have an opportunity to speak. Yesterday's session continued for more than six hours, the resolution being under discussion throughout practically the entire session. The speeches in support of the resolution were delivered by the resolution. While the speeches for the most part were studied efforts, the session was replete with lively incidents and spicy colloquies.

**In the House.**  
The house finally succeeded in passing the Indian appropriation bill and the political debate which has been raging since Monday was transferred to the District of Columbia bill which followed it. The only two important changes made in the Indian bill, as passed, was the elimination of the provisions for the leasing of the gilsonite mineral lands of the Kiowa, Comanche, Apache and Wichita reservations, both of which went out on points of order. The features of the debate were the speeches of Mr. Hartman of Montana, in denunciation of the financial policy of the administration, and of Mr. Dolliver of Iowa in reply to the general attack of the opposition.

Washington, Jan. 29.—After a debate, animated at all times, and occasionally acrimonious, which occupied the greater part of the week, the senate, by a decisive vote of 47 to 32, passed the Teller concurrent resolution. The resolution is practically a reaffirmation of that of Stanley Matthews in 1878, and is as follows: "That all the bonds of the United States issued, or authorized to be issued, under the said acts of congress hereinafter recited, are payable, principal and interest, at the option of the government of the United States, in silver dollars of the coinage of the United States containing 412 1-2 grains each of standard silver, and that to its coinage such silver coins as legal tender in payment of said bonds, principal and interest, is not in violation of the public faith nor in derogation of the rights of the public creditor."

All efforts to amend the resolution were voted down by majorities ranging from 5 to 29. Mr. Lodge's gold standard substitute being defeated by the latter majority, the vote being 24 to 53.

The events of the day leading up to the final vote were full of interest and importance. It was a field day for the orators of the senate, no less than twenty-five senators embracing the opportunity to speak upon the subject under consideration. That the debate was interesting was attested by the attendance in the galleries which were crowded throughout the day; and that it was important was evidenced by the statements of several of the speakers that the discussion was but the preliminary alignment of the great political parties for the contest of 1890. From 10 o'clock in the morning until 7 in the evening the contest continued. When the voting began it was evident that party lines were being broken on both sides of the chamber, but it was on the substitute offered by Mr. Lodge that the most decided break occurred. On the Republican side Mr. Allison of Iowa and Mr. Burrows of Michigan did not answer to their names on that roll call and many of the Republicans voted directly against it. Upon the final passage of the resolution some Republicans who supported McKinley and the St. Louis platform in 1890, like Carter of Montana, Chandler of New Hampshire, Clark of Wyoming, Pritchard of North Carolina, Shoup of Idaho, Warren of Wyoming and Wolcott of Colorado, voted for the resolution because, as Mr. Wolcott announced, they did not believe the resolution committed those who supported it to the free and unlimited coinage of silver. The follow-

ing is the detailed vote upon the final passage of the resolution:

Yeas—Allan, Bacon, Bates, Berry, Butler, Cannon, Carter, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Clay, Coker, Daniel, Gray, Harris, Hartsfield, Jones (Ark.), Kenny, Kyle, Lindsay, Mills, Mitchell, Morgan, Murphy, Packer, Pettibone, Potts, Pritchard, Rawlins, Roach, Shoup, Smith, Stewart, Teller, Tillman, Turner, Vest, Warren, White, Wolcott—47.

Nays—Aldrich, Allison, Baughman, Callahan, Cullum, Davis, Fairbanks, Foraker, Galigner, Gear, Hale, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hawley, Hoar, Lodge, McMillan, McMillan, Mason, Morrill, Nelson, Penrose, Perkins, Platt (Conn.), Platt (N. Y.), Quay, Sewell, Thurston, Wellington, Wetmore, Wilson—32.

The pairs throughout the voting were as follows: Turkey with Deboe; Foulkner with Elkins; Gorman with Frye; Jones (Nevada) with Proctor; Walthall with Spooner. The first named would have voted against the resolution and for the amendments.

**Methodist Claim Goes Through.**  
In the house the bill to pay the book publishing company of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, \$288,000 for damages sustained by that corporation during the war, after encountering an obstinate filibuster which staved off a vote on two previous bill days, was piloted to its passage by Mr. Cooper of Texas, who was in charge of the measure. The friends of the measure proved themselves in an overwhelming majority and the opposition finding it could hold out no longer reluctantly yielded. The vote on the bill was 188 to 67.

**First Night Session.**  
This was the first night session of this congress devoted to pension legislation. No disposition to contest the bills presented for consideration developed and the entire calendar of twenty-nine bills was cleared before the hour of adjournment arrived.

Washington, Jan. 31.—There seems to be no prospect of an abatement of the political debate which has been in progress in the house during the consideration of the appropriation bills. Again Saturday almost the entire session was consumed in the discussion of political topics. The controverted question as to whether prosperity had arrived attracted the most attention and interest, and testimony pro and con was offered throughout the day. At times considerable acrimony was displayed, but as a rule the debate was good natured, both sides seeming to recognize that it was merely a struggle to secure political advantage.

The house went into committee of the whole and resumed the consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill. The general debate covered wide range. The Teller resolution, the Cuban question, Hawaiian annexation, the tariff and other political topics were discussed. At the conclusion of the general debate the bill was taken up for amendment under the five-minute rule.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The house of representatives buried the Teller resolution declaring the bonds of the United States payable in silver under an adverse majority of fifty votes. The Republicans were solidly arrayed in opposition, with two exceptions, Mr. Linney of North Carolina, who voted with the Democrats and Populists, and Mr. White of North Carolina, the only colored member of the house, who answered "present" when his name was called. The desertion from the Democratic side were Mr. McAleer of Pennsylvania and Mr. Elliott of South Carolina. Both voted with the Republicans against the proposition. Speaker Reed, although it is not customary for him to vote, had his name called, and amid the cheers of his followers, went on record in opposition to the resolution. The vote was reached after five hours of debate under a special order adopted at the opening of the session. The limited time allowed for debate and the pressure of members for an opportunity to be heard was so great that the leaders on both sides were compelled to farm out the time by minutes. This detracted much from the continuity of the discussion, but it also, in a measure, intensified the interest in the galleries which were crowded all day, and the combatants on the floor were cheered by their respective sympathizers. Many of the senators from the other end of the capitol were also present to listen to arguments. The majority, under the leadership of Mr. Dingley, who made a carefully prepared speech sounding the keynote of the opposition, assumed the position that the last clause of the resolution was in reality a disguised declaration for the free coinage of silver, while the assaulting Democrats, under the direction of Mr. Bailey, maintained that the defeat of the resolution was another step in the direction of the establishment of the gold standard, to which they alleged both the president and Secretary Gage had irrevocably committed the Republican party. The debate was at times fast and heated, but there were no sensational incidents beyond the hissing of Mr. Rheatt of Kentucky when he said that as the author of the "Crime of '73," the hottest place in hades would be reserved for the present secretary of state. The vote on the resolution was 132 to 182.

**In the Senate.**  
The session of the senate lasted six hours. Two of the general appropriation bills, that for the army, carrying \$23,243,492, and that for the legislative, judicial and executive departments, carrying \$21,658,520, were passed, the latter consisting of 121 pages, occupying the attention of the senate during the greater part of the session. After a brief executive session the senate adjourned.

Washington, Feb. 2.—No business of importance was transacted by the senate in open session. The feature of the short session was a statement made by Mr. Clark of Wyoming as a matter of personal privilege concerning his vote in favor of the Teller resolution. He maintained that his vote was in no way inconsistent with his Republicanism, and declared that he would not permit anybody to read him out of the party, as he was satisfied the masses of the party would not convict him of political heresy.

**In the House.**  
The house devoted most of the session to the District of Columbia appropriation bill but had not completed it at the time of adjournment. Some politics were injected into the debate just at the close, the feature of which was a bitter denunciation of Mr. W. A. Stone of Pennsylvania by the former's position in favor of the immigration bill. Mr. Stone did not see fit to reply. Before the District bill was taken up several bills and resolutions of minor importance were passed.

## NORTHWEST NEWS

### LYNCHING IS THREATENED.

**Murderer Confesses That He Killed Mrs. Fanny Rathbun and Her Daughter.**  
Burlington, Iowa, Special.—A. B. Storrer has confessed the murder of Mrs. Fanny Rathbun and her daughter Mary. The confession was made to Chief of Police Greiner and the county attorney. Storrer says he committed the deed Sunday night, Jan. 23. He killed the mother first in the cellar. Then he enticed the girl into the room above, and, after a terrible struggle to outrage her, cut her throat. The confession was obtained after a long siege of sweat-box examination. After it was obtained Storrer was taken to the morgue, although he begged not to see the bodies of his victims. He turned sickly pale and trembled violently when he gazed upon his victims.

Threats of lynching are heard on all sides, and the mayor announces that he will issue a proclamation that the county jail will be guarded by armed men, who will resist with bullets any attempt at lynching. A rumor is abroad that a mob is collecting in Green Bay bottoms, the home of Storrer's gang, to come here and lynch him.

### CORONA WENT DOWN.

**Alaska-Bound Vessel Wrecked Near Lewis Island.**

Seattle, Wash., Special.—A special to the Times from Victoria says that the steamer Corona, which left Seattle with 250 passengers Jan. 20 for Southeastern Alaska ports, had been wrecked near Lewis Island. Every pound of freight and baggage is lost. No further particulars are given.

The Corona was a screw propeller 220 feet long, 35 feet beam, 9 feet 5 inches hold; was built in Philadelphia in 1888 and has been running on the coast ever since. She is well known to Southern California, having run between San Francisco and San Diego for some years. She was a 15-knot boat and was equipped with all modern improvements. This was to have been the last trip of the Corona, as she was to have been transferred to the Southern California division on her return.

### A FREIGHT WRECK.

**One Man Killed and Another Seriously Injured.**

Burlington, Wis., Special.—Engineer Patrick Walsh was killed and Fireman George McCarthy probably fatally injured in a freight wreck at Gray's Lake, on the Wisconsin Central. The cause of the accident is said to be due to the freight train, north-bound, in charge of Engineer Walsh, being stuck in the snow and a misunderstanding in orders. Two other engines were brought to the aid of the stalled freight, and in running down a steep grade collided with a south-bound freight, wrecking the engines at the head of each train and several cars.

### SUIT WITHDRAWN.

**Ex-Treasurer McGill Is Not to Be Prosecuted.**

West Superior, Wis., Special.—Town Treasurer John Erickson, of the town of Superior, will withdraw his action against ex-Treasurer C. H. Gill, wherein he charged him with embezzling \$37,000. Gill proposes to hand the records and money of the town over to Erickson. The case has been frequently adjourned since it was begun. It is said, to give Gill time to make up his report, since he had not kept a complete record of the moneys passing through his hands.

### ABDUCTING HER CHILD.

**The Charge Under Which Mrs. Clark Has Been Arrested.**

Esu Claire, Wis., Special.—Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Clark of Stevens Point, sisters, were arrested last night at Chippewa Falls, charged with abducting a little girl, a few weeks old, from the State Woman's Christian Temperance home in this city. Mrs. Clark is the mother of the child, which she had given to the home, renouncing, it is claimed, all her rights.

### SHE IS NOW A SUAW.

**A White Woman in Montana Marries a Full-Blood Indian.**

Great Falls, Mont., Special.—Mrs. Minnie Cushman, a white woman and teacher in the Fort Shaw schools, was clandestinely married to Garrett White, a full-blood Piegan Indian, at Du Puy yesterday. The bride is a daughter of C. C. Bateman, chaplain of the United States army at Fort Belknap. She is a handsome brunette, twenty-six years old.

### Dispute as to Funds.

Black River Falls, Wis., Special.—Considerable of a muss has been stirred up in the volunteer fire company of this city over the action of its treasurer, F. A. Long, the present state factory inspector, who refuses to pay the orders drawn against its fund, amounting to \$1,450. Mr. Long contends that the fund earned by the fire company is not theirs to use as they please, and that the division pro rata apportioned among the members is a violation of law.

### Glandered Horses.

Cumbersland, Wis., Special.—H. P. Clute, state veterinarian of Marinette, was called here this week to examine some horses supposed to be afflicted with glanders. He found two genuine cases and ordered the animals to be shot.

### No More Boxing in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Special.—Chief of Police Janssen has decided to put a stop to all boxing contests in this city in the future.

### Game Warden Settled.

Brainerd, Minn., Feb. 2.—The suit of J. H. Hallett against Game Warden Atherton, to recover on a seizure of ducks made by the latter, was settled by the payment to Hallett of the amount of his claim.

### Home for the Aged.

Winona, Minn., Feb. 2.—The German Lutherans in the synods of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan have decided to establish a home for the aged people without relatives at Belle Plaine, Minn.

## THE MARKETS.

### Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 98c; No. 3 red, 97c; No. 2 spring, 96c; No. 3 spring, 95c; No. 2 hard winter, 96c; No. 3 hard winter, 95c; No. 1 new spring, 98c. Cash corn, No. 2, 27 1/2c; No. 3, 27 1/2c; No. 2, 21c; No. 3, 21c.

Minneapolis, Feb. 3.—Flour steady. Wheat stronger. No. 1 Northern, 96c; No. 2 spring, 96c; No. 3 spring, 95c. Corn firm; No. 3, 27 1/2c. Oats higher; No. 2 white, 21 1/2c. Rye higher; No. 1, 48c; No. 2, 47c. Barley steady; No. 2, 40 1/2c; No. 3, 39c.

Minneapolis, Feb. 3.—Wheat—May opened at 93c and closed at 93 3/4c; July opened at 92c and closed at 93 1/8c. On track—No. 1 hard, 96 1/2c; No. 1 Northern, 96c; No. 2 Northern, 92c.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Hogs—Light, \$3.55c; mixed, \$3.75c; heavy, \$3.65c; \$3.85c; \$3.95c. Cattle—Beef, \$3.85c; \$3.95c; \$4.00c; \$4.10c; \$4.20c; \$4.30c; \$4.40c; \$4.50c; \$4.60c; \$4.70c; \$4.80c; \$4.90c; \$5.00c. Sheep—Natives, \$3.40c; Westerns, \$3.50c; \$3.60c; \$3.70c; \$3.80c; \$3.90c; \$4.00c; \$4.10c; \$4.20c; \$4.30c; \$4.40c; \$4.50c; \$4.60c; \$4.70c; \$4.80c; \$4.90c; \$5.00c.

South St. Paul, Feb. 3.—Hogs—\$3.30c; \$3.40c; \$3.50c; \$3.60c; \$3.70c; \$3.80c; \$3.90c; \$4.00c; \$4.10c; \$4.20c; \$4.30c; \$4.40c; \$4.50c; \$4.60c; \$4.70c; \$4.80c; \$4.90c; \$5.00c. Cattle—Bulls, \$3.10c; \$3.20c; \$3.30c; \$3.40c; \$3.50c; \$3.60c; \$3.70c; \$3.80c; \$3.90c; \$4.00c; \$4.10c; \$4.20c; \$4.30c; \$4.40c; \$4.50c; \$4.60c; \$4.70c; \$4.80c; \$4.90c; \$5.00c. 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H. C. STIVERS, Journal.  
INGERSOLL & WIELAND, Dispatch.  
A. J. HALSTED, Tribune.  
Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 1, 1898.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1898.

The appearance of the St. Paul Globe under its new management is much improved.

The supreme court of Minnesota has decided that a man born in this country of foreign parents is a citizen without naturalization.

The month of January was the warmest with one exception for 76 years, the exception being January, 1822, according to the weather records.

News has just been received of the murder of a Minnesota man in the Alaskan gold fields. The murderer was lynched within twenty-four hours after he committed the deed.

In Ohio the legislature is considering a bill to abolish the death penalty and substitute solitary confinement for life. Of the two the death sentence would be the most humane.

The coming term of court which opens on March 1st will be the last opportunity offered for taking out citizens' papers before the fall election and those who have not already taken them out should do so at this term if they desire to be eligible to vote.

Why not give Butcher Weyler a life sentence instead of locking him up for two months. If the United States had to deal with him instead of Spain he would have plenty of time to think over his past behind prison walls during the balance of his days.

A Little Falls laborer sued a farmer for wages claimed to be due but the farmer's daughter came to his rescue and swore that the man had been more than paid for the value of his labor in kisses delivered by herself. This is a new idea and will probably establish the commercial value of a kiss.

The rabbits are more numerous in Idaho than the gold is in Alaska. There are millions of them, and their depredations, which heretofore have been confined to young trees and growing crops, have extended to vegetation of all kinds, even the wild prairie grass, resulting in great loss to stockmen.

The uncertainty of the political complexion of the Minneapolis Times gives its readers that tired feeling, especially where it attempts to offer advice first to one party and then another. The Times is endeavoring to give Eustis a boom for the gubernatorial nomination and predicts all manner of things that the republicans of Hennepin county will do should Capt. Van Sant be successful in his efforts in that direction.

SAUK CENTER'S mayor, W. D. Townsend, will serve out his term as such officer regardless of the action of the city council which body has spent the better part of a year trying to oust the mayor from office because he refused to sign an order for the expenditure of \$1,750 in the purchase of an old brewery site for the city, only to meet with defeat in the end. Judge Cauty of the supreme court holds that there was no good cause for the removal of the mayor.

MANY of the people who imagine that Alaska will all be dug over before they can get there to gather a part of the gold and who are breaking their necks to reach the Klondike will be doomed to disappointment. Transportation companies are responsible to a great degree for the stories of fabulous wealth picked up in a few weeks and in many instances the amount of money realized by individuals are magnified many times. There is no doubt but there are rich gold diggings in the northwest territory but not all of them will be discovered this year.

## LOOKS LIKE LUM.

Many Kind Expressions Offered from Various Sources in this Section.

Wadena Pioneer-Journal: There seems to be a widespread sentiment throughout the Sixth district in favor of the nomination of Hon. Leon E. Lum, of Duluth, for the supreme court of the state. Mr. Lum is a lawyer is amply qualified for the position, and while he was practicing law in Brainerd he became well and favorably known in this end of the district. We understand that Duluth has been practically conceded the place, and if such is the case they can bring no better man in this connection than L. E. Lum.

Walker Pilot: There seems to be a general movement toward nominating Hon. Leon E. Lum, formerly of Brainerd and now of Duluth, for the supreme bench. Should Mr. Lum decide to become a candidate he will receive the unanimous support of northeastern Minnesota. As an attorney he has few equals; as a citizen his career has invariably been upright, just and honorable. Mr. Lum would make an ideal judge of the supreme bench.

Cass County Pioneer: We notice in the Evening Herald of Duluth that Leon E. Lum of that city may be St. Louis County's candidate for the supreme bench in which there are three vacancies to be filled at the next election. The Pioneer has done business with Mr. Lum almost since its first publication and is of opinion that the people of this and adjoining counties, irrespective of politics, will be willing to assist St. Louis county in obtaining this office for the northern part of the state, which has never had the least recognition since the organization of the state.

### GRAVE LAKE ITEMS.

Ed. Garlinghouse will leave for Tacoma in a short time to join the rush for the Klondike.

George Pointon, of Brainerd, spent a few days here last week visiting his brother T. C. Pointon.

A number of young people met near the residence of Jacob Shew on Saturday evening last and enjoyed a pleasant time skating.

Vet Heath says he has rented his farm to Merrill Wickham for the coming year and that he will take in the log drive in the spring.

The young people enjoyed an evening at the Bush farm last week. There were games, taffy pull and a bountiful supper prepared.

Miss Eveline Pointon entertained a few of her schoolmates on Monday of this week at her home, the occasion being the eleventh anniversary of her birthday.

John Ellsworth, Sr., lies very ill at the home of his son in law, Will Cord in the east part of town. He has gastric fever and fears are entertained of his recovery.

School district No. 32 in the north part of town held a special meeting on Saturday for the purpose of electing a clerk and treasurer to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation of Wm. Martin and Ed. Garlinghouse. The meeting resulted in the election of Sylvester Heath as clerk and F. H. Billings treasurer.

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For strictly fresh eggs, bought from farm, call at Mons Mahlam's, Laurel street. 20 cents per dozen.

### Notice.

All persons are hereby notified not to extend any credit to my son Bernal Guild, on my account, as I will not pay any debts contracted by him.

N. J. GUILD.

Brainerd, Jan. 28th, 1898.

### First Annual Ball.

The first annual ball of Crow Wing Tent No. 62, K. O. T. M. will be given at Gardner Hall, on the evening of Friday, Feb. 11th, and it will be known as a "bonquet" ball. The members of the Maccabees will endeavor to make the occasion the social success of the season, as the future parties given by this order will in a measure depend upon the success of the "first annual." The committee having the arrangements in hand, will spare no pains to make every detail perfect, and those who are favored with an invitation will make no mistake in attending. The ladies as they enter the hall will each be given a bouquet of cut flowers by a committee appointed for that purpose. The programme will be especially arranged for the occasion, and the music will be first-class. Tickets are \$1.00.

# Follow The Crowd to BANE & BANE'S.

## And partake of the bargains offered.

Lake Superior Herring, 7 lbs for 25 Cents.  
Pork Sausage, Our Specialty, 4 lbs for 25 cts.  
3 pounds Nice Beef Steak for 25 Cents.  
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4 pounds of Pigs feet for 25c.  
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### Notice.

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MRS. F. G. SUNDBERG.

### Farm for Sale.

A farm suitable for dairy, small fruit, poultry, etc., which has been run successfully for a number of years in the gardening business is offered for sale, an excellent opportunity for some man to run a dairy in connection with the new creamery. Also the following farming implements are offered for sale: mower and rake, plow and harrow, cutter, bob sleds, top buggy, spring wagon and Mitchell wagon, working and driving harnesses, four cows (two fresh), chickens, team, etc. Also house for sale cheap, No. 56, Ninth street south, one block from where the opera house stood. For terms, etc., apply to the owner.

GEO. SHWARD,

Two and a half miles out on Gull Lake road.

### Vicks Flour and Floral Guide.

The annual catalogue sent out by the old reliable seed establishment of James Vick's Sons, comes to hand in a dainty and tasty cover of blue, pink yellow and orange. The Golden Lily, the Pink Daybreak Aster, a brace of blue birds, and the artistic lettering in black, blue, green, crimson and gold, all in harmonious combinations, make a cover of exquisite design and appearance. Many of the illustrations are fine half tones. Four handsome covered plates of begonias, dahlias, nasturtiums and sweet peas add to the attractions. The list of seeds and plants cover a large and varied assortment, including nearly everything that can be desired for the garden, the lawn, the greenhouse. Valuable new varieties are offered as well as the thoroughly tried and proved standard sorts. Vick's novelties are noted for their uniform excellence. In vegetables the Gradus pea is a great advance over all other "extra early" varieties. The Jones Wax bean is an essential gain in that line. Potato growers are offered the "White Beauty" as a new variety with model qualities, combining size, high quality and great productiveness. But it is impossible here to note the many valuable offerings of this firm in fruits, flower and vegetables. If you are not a customer of this firm send for their catalogue. It is free to all applicants. Address James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y.

### All Colds are Tainted.

All colds are tainted with grip, when grip prevails. "77" breaks up grip and colds that "hang on." 25c. 11 druggists.

### Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.  
County of Crow Wing.

To M. M. Sawbridge.

### TAKE NOTICE

That the following described piece or parcel of land, situate in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to-wit: The 3/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 28, in Township 133, Range 28, was on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1892, bid in for the state for the sum of one dollar and 92 cents, pursuant to a real estate tax judgment entered in the district court in the said county of Crow Wing on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1892, in proceedings to enforce payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate, for the year 1890 for said county of Crow Wing, and was on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1898, sold by the State of Minnesota, for twenty-two dollars and four cents. That the amount required to redeem such land from such sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the said sum of twenty-two dollars and four cents, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent. per month, from said 3rd day of February, 1898, to the time of such redemption, and delinquent taxes, penalties and costs accruing subsequent to said sale with interest thereon to the time of such redemption; and the time within which said land can be redeemed from said sale will expire sixty days after service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in manner prescribed by section 37, of Chapter 6, General Laws of Minnesota, for the year 1897 and amendments thereto.

Dated at Brainerd, this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1898.

LOUIS TACHE,

Auditor of Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

### Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.  
County of Crow Wing.

To D. Morrison.

### TAKE NOTICE

That the following described piece or parcel of land situate in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lot 3 and SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of section 17, township 133, range 28 were on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1892, bid in for the state for the sum of Two dollars and thirteen cents, pursuant to a real estate tax judgment entered in the district court in the said county of Crow Wing on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1892, in proceedings to enforce payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate, for the year 1890 for said county of Crow Wing, and were on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1898, sold by the state of Minnesota for twenty-five dollars and 72 cents. That the amount required to redeem such lands from such sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the said sum of twenty-five dollars and 72 cents, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent. per month from said 26th day of January, 1898, to the time of such redemption and delinquent taxes, penalties and costs accruing subsequent to said sale with interest thereon to the time of such redemption; and the time within which said land can be redeemed from said sale will expire sixty days after service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in manner prescribed by section 37, of Chapter 6, General Laws of Minnesota, for the year 1897 and amendments thereto.

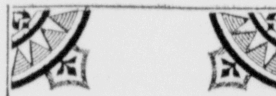
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Auditor of Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

### F. J. MURPHY,

Successor to J. T. ELDER.

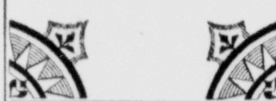
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No. 58, Duluth Freight	8:55 p. m.	9:40 p. m.
WEST BOUND:		
No. 5, Fargo Express	1:20 p. m.	1:40 p. m.
No. 11, Pacific Mail	7:45 p. m.	8:05 p. m.
No. 57, Staples Freight	4:15 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
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H. H. INGERSOLL, Journal.  
P. W. WIELAND, Dispatch  
A. J. HALSTED, Tribune.  
Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 1, 1898.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1898.

The appearance of the St. Paul Globe under its new management is much improved.

The supreme court of Minnesota has decided that a man born in this country of foreign parents is a citizen without naturalization.

The month of January was the warmest with one exception for 76 years, the exception being January, 1822, according to the weather records.

News has just been received of the murder of a Minnesota man in the Alaskan gold fields. The murderer was lynched within twenty-four hours after he committed the deed.

In Ohio the legislature is considering a bill to abolish the death penalty and substitute solitary confinement for life. Of the two the death sentence would be the most humane.

The coming term of court which opens on March 1st will be the last opportunity offered for taking out citizens' papers before the fall election and those who have not already taken them out should do so at this term if they desire to be eligible to vote.

Why not give Butcher Weyler a life sentence instead of locking him up for two months. If the United States had to deal with him instead of Spain he would have plenty of time to think over his past behind prison walls during the balance of his days.

A LITTLE FALLS laborer sued a farmer for wages claimed to be due but the farmer's daughter came to his rescue and swore that the man had been more than paid for the value of his labor in kisses delivered by herself. This is a new idea and will probably establish the commercial value of a kiss.

The rabbits are more numerous in Idaho than the gold is in Alaska. There are millions of them, and their depredations, which heretofore have been confined to young trees and growing crops, have extended to vegetation of all kinds, even the wild prairie grass, resulting in great loss to stockmen.

The uncertainty of the political complexion of the Minneapolis Times gives its readers that tired feeling, especially where it attempts to offer advice first to one party and then another. The Times is endeavoring to give Eustis a boom for the gubernatorial nomination and predicts all manner of things that the republicans of Hennepin county will do should Capt. Van Sant be successful in his efforts in that direction.

SAUK CENTER's mayor, W. D. Townsend, will serve out his term as such officer regardless of the action of the city council which body has spent the better part of a year trying to oust the mayor from office because he refused to sign an order for the expenditure of \$1,750 in the purchase of an old brewery site for the city, only to meet with defeat in the end. Judge Cauty of the supreme court holds that there was no good cause for the removal of the mayor.

MANY of the people who imagine that Alaska will all be dug over before they can get there to gather a part of the gold and who are breaking their necks to reach the Klondike will be doomed to disappointment. Transportation companies are responsible to a great degree for the stories of fabulous wealth picked up in a few weeks and in many instances the amount of money realized by individuals are magnified many times. There is no doubt but there are rich gold diggings in the northwest territory but not all of them will be discovered this year.

## LOOKS LIKE LUM.

Many Kind Expressions Offered from Various Sources in this Section.

Wadena Pioneer-Journal: There seems to be a widespread sentiment throughout the Sixth district in favor of the nomination of Hon. Leon E. Lum, of Duluth, for the supreme court of the state. Mr. Lum is a lawyer is amply qualified for the position, and while he was practicing law in Brainerd he became well and favorably known in this end of the district. We understand that Duluth has been practically conceded the place, and if such is the case they can bring no better man in this connection than Leon E. Lum.

Walker Pilot: There seems to be a general movement toward nominating Hon. Leon E. Lum, formerly of Brainerd and now of Duluth, for the supreme bench. Should Mr. Lum decide to become a candidate he will receive the unanimous support of northeastern Minnesota. As an attorney he has few equals; as a citizen his career has invariably been upright, just and honorable. Mr. Lum would make an ideal judge of the supreme bench.

Cass County Pioneer: We notice in the Evening Herald of Duluth that Leon E. Lum of that city may be St. Louis County's candidate for the supreme bench in which there are three vacancies to be filled at the next election. The Pioneer has done business with Mr. Lum almost since its first publication and is of opinion that the people of this and adjoining counties, irrespective of politics, will be willing to assist St. Louis county in obtaining this office for the northern part of the state, which has never had the least recognition since the organization of the state.

### GRAVE LAKE ITEMS.

Ed. Garlinghouse will leave for Tacoma in a short time to join the rush for the Klondike.

George Pointon, of Brainerd, spent a few days here last week visiting his brother T. C. Pointon.

A number of young people met near the residence of Jacob Shew on Saturday evening last and enjoyed a pleasant time skating.

Vet Heath says he has rented his farm to Merrill Wickham for the coming year and that he will take in the log drive in the spring.

The young people enjoyed an evening at the Bush farm last week. There were games, taffy pull and a bountiful supper prepared.

Miss Eveline Pointon entertained a few of her schoolmates on Monday of this week at her home, the occasion being the eleventh anniversary of her birthday.

John Ellsworth, Sr., lies very ill at the home of his son in law, Will Cord in the east part of town. He has gastric fever and fears are entertained of his recovery.

School district No. 32 in the north part of town held a special meeting on Saturday for the purpose of electing a clerk and treasurer to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation of Wm. Martin and Ed. Garlinghouse. The meeting resulted in the election of Sylvester Heath as clerk and F. H. Billings treasurer.

X.

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### Notice.

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N. J. GUILD.

Brainerd, Jan. 28th, 1898.

### First Annual Ball.

The first annual ball of Crow Wing Tent No. 62, K. O. T. M. will be given at Gardner Hall, on the evening of Friday, Feb. 11th, and it will be known as a "bouquet" ball. The members of the Maccabees will endeavor to make the occasion the social success of the season, as the future parties given by this order will in a measure depend upon the success of the "first annual." The committee having the arrangements in hand, will spare no pains to make every detail perfect, and those who are favored with an invitation will make no mistake in attending. The ladies as they enter the hall will each be given a bouquet of cut flowers by a committee appointed for that purpose. The programme will be especially arranged for the occasion, and the music will be first-class. Tickets are \$1.00.

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### Vicks Flour and Floral Guide.

The annual catalogue sent out by the old reliable seed establishment of James Vick's Sons, comes to hand in a dainty and tasty cover of blue, pink yellow and orange. The Golden Lily, the Pink Daybreak Aster, a brace of blue birds, and the artistic lettering in black, blue, green, crimson and gold, all in harmonious combinations, make a cover of exquisite design and appearance. Many of the illustrations are fine half tones. Four handsome covered plates of begonias, dahlias, nasturtiums and sweet peas add to the attractions. The list of seeds and plants cover a large and varied assortment, including nearly everything that can be desired for the garden, the lawn, the greenhouse. Valuable new varieties are offered as well as the thoroughly tried and proved standard sorts. Vick's novelties are noted for their uniform excellence. In vegetables the Gradus pea is a great advance over all other "extra early" varieties. The Jones Wax bean is an essential gain in that line. Potato growers are offered the "White Beauty" as a new variety with model qualities, combining size, high quality and great productiveness. But it is impossible here to note the many valuable offerings of this firm in fruits, flower and vegetables. If you are not a customer of this firm send for their catalogue. It is free to all applicants. Address James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y.

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### Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.  
County of Crow Wing.

To M. M. Sawbridge.

### Tax Notice.

That the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to-wit: The e 1/4 of the s 1/4 of Section 28, in Township 135, Range 28, was on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1892, bid in for the state for the sum of one dollar and 92 cents, pursuant to a real estate tax judgment entered in the district court in the said county of Crow Wing on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1892, in proceedings to enforce payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate, for the year 1890 for said county of Crow Wing, and was on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1898, sold by the State of Minnesota, for twenty-two dollars and four cents. That the amount required to redeem such land from such sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the said sum of twenty-two dollars and four cents, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent. per month, from said 3rd day of February, 1898, to the time of such redemption, and delinquent taxes, penalties and costs accruing subsequent to said sale with interest thereon to the time of such redemption; and the time within which said land can be redeemed from said sale will expire sixty days after service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in manner prescribed by Section 37, of Chapter 6, General Laws of Minnesota, for the year 1877 and amendments thereto.

Dated at Brainerd this 3rd day of February, A. D. 1898.

LOUIS TACHE,  
Auditor of Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

### Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.  
County of Crow Wing.

To D. Morrison.

### Tax Notice.

That the following described piece or parcel of land situated in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lot 3 and s 1/4 of the s 1/4 of section 17, township 135, range 28, were on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1892, bid in for the state for the sum of two dollars and thirteen cents, pursuant to a real estate tax judgment entered in the district court in the said county of Crow Wing on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1892, in proceedings to enforce payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate, for the year 1890 for said county of Crow Wing, and were on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1898, sold by the state of Minnesota for twenty-five dollars and 72 cents. That the amount required to redeem such lands from such sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the said sum of twenty-five dollars and 72 cents, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent. per month from said 26th day of January, 1898, to the time of such redemption, and delinquent taxes, penalties and costs accruing subsequent to said sale with interest thereon to the time of such redemption; and the time within which said land can be redeemed from said sale will expire sixty days after service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in manner prescribed by section 37, of Chapter 6, General Laws of Minnesota, for the year 1877 and amendments thereto.

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No. 58, Duluth Freight	8:55 p. m.	9:40 p. m.

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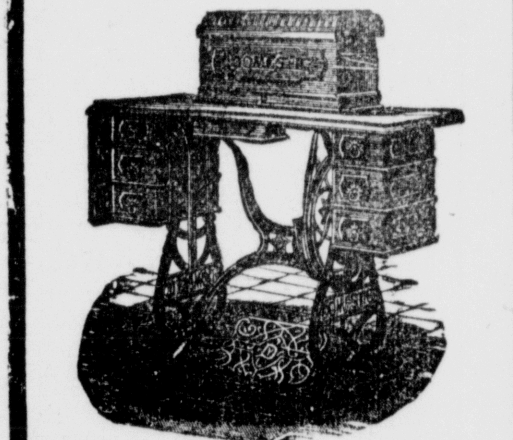
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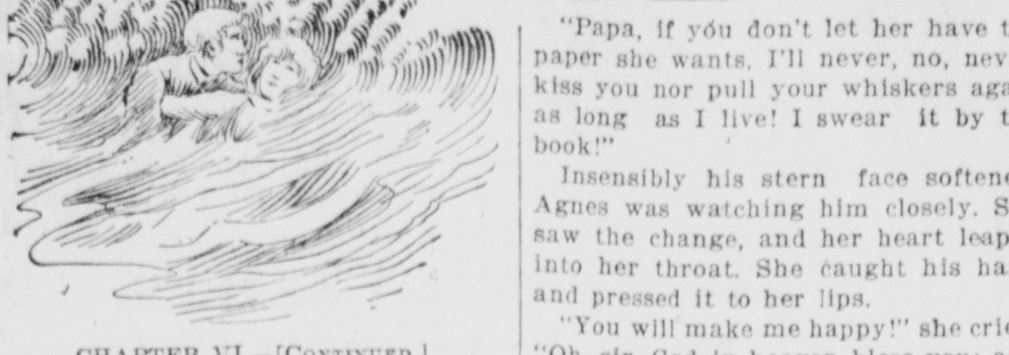






# OUT OF THE SEA.

BY CLARA AUGUSTA.



## CHAPTER VI.—[CONTINUED.]

The governor's hoyden daughter had a warm heart under all her careless guise, and she soon had Agnes fed, dressed in a suit of her own clothes, and snugly tucked up in bed in her own chamber.

The weary girl fell asleep, and when she woke she found it was past sunset and Helen Fulton was sitting by her pillow.

"Papa has come," she said; "so get up and brush your hair, and let me put this cluster of rosebuds in your curls—papa is not so old that he has lost all taste for beauty."

Agnes submitted quietly, and was led down to the library by her young hostess.

The governor was a tall, well-preserved man of 45, with a pleasing address, a keen gray eye, and a face rather handsome than otherwise. Helen led Agnes up before him.

"Papa, this is Miss Agnes Trenholme of Portlea. She has come here with a special errand to you."

The governor greeted her courteously.

"I am pleased to see Miss Trenholme. I know Mr. Ralph very well. To what am I indebted for this agreeable surprise?"

Agnes swallowed down the sobs that were rising in her throat by a brave effort. She had wondered what she should say to this man when at last she should get an audience, and now that the time had come she had forgotten everything she had intended to urge. Her courage, so brave and strong, had subsided to positive weakness. She slipped down to her knees on the rug before him, and burst into tears.

"My child," he said, kindly laying his hand on her head, "what means this emotion? Speak out. Surely you are not afraid of me."

"No, but I feel so tired, and so nearly hopeless! And I dread that you will refuse me. But you must not! Indeed you must not, for I will take no denial! I will stay here at your feet until you grant my request!"

"You forget that you have not made it."

"I came to ask so much of you! I have traveled nearly 200 miles alone, braving the displeasure of my friends, and the scorn of the world—I have come to ask you to spare his life—the life of Lynde Graham."

The governor's brow grew dark.

"Miss Trenholme, he is a murderer!"

"I tell you he is not! Never call him thus! You wrong him. He is innocent. I tell you, before God, that if you let him go to the gallows, some time you will repent in dust and ashes the murder you yourself have committed! He never did that dreadful deed. He would not have harmed a single feather of the lowest bird in the woods. I do not ask you to pardon him—O no, I am content with asking his life—a little respite from death until God sees fit to bring the real assassin to justice!"

"My poor girl," he said, sorrowfully, "I regret that this has happened. I pity you, for I suppose you love this unfortunate young man; but I cannot grant your request. From my soul I believe Lynde Graham guilty!"

"Do not say so. You crush out hope in my heart! O, I cannot, cannot go back over that weary road without the paper I want! Look at me, Governor Fulton. A few little weeks ago I was happy and care free. Now see the change this terrible grief has wrought. Your daughter pities me; her innocent heart feels for me! You do not know to what strait she may yet be reduced. Be merciful to me as you would want mercy shown to her!"

Helen crept into her father's arms, and laid her soft cheek against his.

"Papa, it will not hurt you to let this man live, and it will make her so happy. I'll go without a new bonnet this winter, if you'll do what she wants." And she pinched his cheek.

"Madcap! Helen, how can you trifle so?" asked the governor, trying to frown. "This is too solemn a thing to joke upon. I believe that death should be the fate of all murderers."

The face of Agnes grew stern as his own. Her voice had a steel-like ring.

"And so do I, with my whole soul! If I thought him guilty, I would not speak a word to save him. I loved the murdered girl as fondly as I could have loved an own sister, and I would give half my life to have the real murderer suffer for his crime. But in this case the law has fastened on the wrong person, and a curiously strong chain of circumstantial evidence has so closely wound itself about him, that it was impossible for the jury to do otherwise than convict him. But for all that he is guiltless. Oh, sir, give me a reprieve, if only for one little year! Many things may be revealed in a year."

"It is impossible!"

"Only for one year! O, sir, I will not let you go until you yield!" She looked up into his face, her eyes streaming with tears.

Helen stole an arm around his neck.

rope was already adjusted, the carpenter stood ready, waiting the sheriff's word to let the drop fall, and the signal would have been given in another instant.

The voice of Agnes rang out, over and above all the confused noises of the motley gathering:

"A reprieve! A reprieve!"

She held aloft the paper—they saw the great seal of the state.

"A reprieve from the governor," she said, and fell senseless, even as she spoke, into the arms of old Dr. Hudson, who rushed forward to receive her.

The sheriff read the reprieve aloud, and then removing the rope, he led the prisoner down the steps of the scaffold. In all his captivity no one had ever heard Lynde ask a single favor, but now he said to the official:

"Grant me this, Miss Trenholme has saved me a little longer to life—allow me to pass near enough to her to touch her clothes."

The sheriff stared, but indulged the wish. Graham went up to where she lay, a great crowd around her, and Dr. Hudson and a brother physician applying restoratives. He stooped down and looked into her face. Oh, how very white and deathly she looked! Graham lifted the soiled mantle she wore, and touched the hem reverently with his lips. Then he turned away, and went back to his dreary prison house.

Agnes was taken to the residence of Dr. Hudson, and cared for as well as could be. But she had endured so much, both mentally and physically, that life hung upon a thread, and for days she lay in a stupor so closely resembling death that at times those who watched her could not tell whether or not the breath still lingered.

Mrs. Trenholme braved the displeasure of her son, and came down at once to nurse her, and when, after ten days of stupor, her disease culminated in brain fever of the most violent type, she wrote thus to her son:

"Ralph, Agnes is sick unto death. If you could sit beside her as I do, and listen to her unconscious ravings, and through them learn how terribly she had suffered, you would forgive her. Oh, Ralph, by the memory of your dead father, I implore you to come to us!"

"Your Mother."

But Ralph, still haughty and unrelenting in his cruel pride, answered:

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## AMERICAN HEIRESS IN PARIS.

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Lillian Bell, in a letter from Paris to the Ladies' Home Journal, writes that the most shameful thing in all Europe is the marriage question, and proceeds to narrate the experiences of a rich American girl who came to Paris with letters to friends. On account of her wealth she was invited everywhere by mothers of marriageable sons, but being unable to speak French was not much of a success. She went to a convent to learn French, and was shown much attention by the Duchess de Z—, who was determined that her son should marry her. "Suddenly, to the amazement of everybody, the heiress sailed for America without a word of warning. The Duchess was furious. 'You must follow her,' she said to her son. 'We cannot let so much money escape.' The son said he would be hanged if he went to America, or if he would marry such a monkey, and as for her money, she could go anywhere she pleased with it, or words to that effect. So that ended the affair of the Marquis de G—. When the other impecunious young nobles heard that the Duchess no longer had any claims upon the American's money they got together and said, 'Somebody must marry her and divide with the rest. We can't all marry her, but we can all have a share from whoever does. Now we will draw lots to see who must go to America and marry her.' The lot fell to the Baron de X—, but he had no money for the journey. So all the others raised what money they could and loaned it to him, and took his notes for it, with enormous interest, payable after his marriage. He sailed away, and within eight months he had married her, but he has not paid those notes; his wife won't give him the money!"

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The Poet—Which of my poems do you think is the best? She—I haven't read that one yet.—Harlem Life.

## POPULAR SCIENCE.

Many persons are desperately afraid of night air, and so shut themselves into close rooms and breathe an atmosphere poisoned by human exhalations. It is well to avoid draughts, but night air, as Florence Nightingale put it, is the only air we have at night, and it is much wholesomer pure than impure.

M. Forel, in his excellent work on ants, has pointed out that very young ants devote themselves at first to the care of the larvae and pupae, and that they take no share in the defense of the nest or other out-of-door work until they are some days old. This seems natural, because their first skin is comparatively soft; and it would not be well for them to undertake rough work or run into danger until their armor had had time to harden.

It has been discovered by Dr. Bruce that the tsetse fly (*Glossina morsitans*), so fatal in Africa to cattle, is viviparous, not laying eggs, but bringing forth living, fully grown maggots. These larvae shortly after being born transform into pupae, the external larval skin hardening and assuming an ovate shape, with ears at one end. This discovery has been authenticated, says Nature, by Peringuey, who has bred from puparia sent by the governor of Natal, which is undoubtedly this fly.

## ARE YOU TO LIVE IN ALASKA?

Some Requirements That Will Be Found Indispensable.

The universal article of diet in that country, depended upon and indispensable, is bread or biscuit. And to make the bread or biscuit, either in the camp or upon the trail, yeast cannot be used—it must be baking powder; and the powder manufactured by the processes of the Royal Baking Powder Company, miners and prospectors have learned, is the only one which will stand in that peculiar climate of cold and dampness and raise the bread and biscuit satisfactorily.

These facts are very important for every one proposing to go to Alaska and the Yukon country to know, for should he be persuaded by some out-fitter to take one of the cheap brands of baking powder, it will cost just as much to transport it, and then when he opens it for use, after all his labor in packing it over the long and difficult route, he will find a solid caked mass or a lot of spoiled powder, with no strength and useless. Such a mistake might lead to the most serious results. Alaska is no place in which to experiment in food, or try to economize with your stomach. For use in such a climate, and under the trying and fatiguing conditions of life and labor in that country, everything must be the best and most useful, and above all it is imperative that all food supplies shall have perfect keeping qualities. It is absurd to convey over such difficult and expensive routes an article that will deteriorate in transit, or that will be found when required for use to have lost a great part of its value.

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## PEDDLERS IN MEXICO.

Why an Old Woman Wouldn't Sell Ah Her Honey at One Time.

"While traveling in Mexico a few years ago I had a funny experience with a Mexican vender which goes to show what little business ability the lower classes have," said E. F. Guignon of St. Louis. "I was en route to look at some mines away up in the mountains. At the station where we left the train to take the stage I saw an old woman selling some honey. She did not have more than ten pounds of it altogether and as it looked so good I wanted to buy it all to take along with us. I asked our interpreter to buy it. Much to my surprise the old woman would sell him but two boxes, claiming that if she sold it all to him she would have nothing to sell to other people, neither would she have anything else to do during the remainder of the day!"

## FADS IN FLOWERS.

Florists' shops abroad are much different from the ones in this country. In London, for example, funeral wreaths and emblems are displayed in the windows, with their prices attached. Some are attractive, others very hideous. Lichen is fashionable there for crosses and wreaths, and from this grisly-gray background calla lilies and white roses peer.

Set pieces, the "gates ajar," broken columns and floral pillows, are always painful, for, in the first place, the natural grace and beauty of the flowers is destroyed, and in the next there is no excuse for the emblems. Flowers for the dead should be scattered in care-less handfuls—then only are they comforters, with their graceful beauty unimpaired. The modern custom of adding to a death notice the words, "Friends will please omit flowers," may be traced to the reluctance of the survivors to be confronted with those ghastly set pieces which have raged so long.

The best artists have always recognized that flowers should be allowed to arrange themselves. Basketfuls, armfuls or great bunches of loose flowers are justifiable, but crushing their beauty into any systematized outline is unforgivable. Florists abroad have a frightful habit of "making up" boutonniere for men's coats, and these bunches of three or four violets a spray of fern and a branch of forget-me-nots are seen on the lapels of the men who do not appreciate true fitness. A single gardenia tuberosa or a knot of mignonette is better than one of these horrible mixtures.





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Insensibly his stern face softened. Agnes was watching him closely. She saw the change, and her heart leaped into her throat. She caught his hand and pressed it to her lips.

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The governor rose, put Helen away from him, and drew toward his writing materials. He wrote rapidly a few moments, signed his name at the bottom of the sheet in bold characters, and affixed the great seal of the state.

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"There," he said, "if I have done wrong, I hope heaven will pardon me, but no man in his senses could resist two such women. I have reprieved Lynde Graham for eighteen months, and if in that time nothing turns up in his favor, he shall be executed! Take it and lose no time. Remember if you do not reach Portlea by 10 o'clock on Christmas morning, this paper for which you have dared so much will be a dead letter!"

She stooped over him and touched her lips to his forehead in utter silence. Only God knows how much at that time she revered Archibald Fulton.

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G. OV. FULTON needed not to have urged Agnes to use expedition; she required no incentive to haste, beyond her own terrible anxiety. The good old gentleman be-thought himself of his want of gallantry in permitting her to leave alone on so dangerous a journey, soon after she departed, and he immediately dispatched one of the servants on horseback to escort her. The man was well mounted and he overtook her a few miles on her way and they rode together until the evening of the 24th, when she dismissed him. She preferred to go on alone. She halted until after midnight to rest her horse, and then set forth. She had seventy-five miles to ride before ten in the morning.

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## A CLERICAL PLAY.

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A crowded audience, largely composed of clergymen, assembled in one of the most spacious halls in Canterbury to witness the performance of an ecclesiastical drama by the Rev. Henry Cresswell, entitled "The Conversion of England," says the London Standard. The day was highly appropriate, since it was the anniversary of St. Augustine's consecration at Arles, and the play was given in compliance with a suggestion to Dean Farrar by the late Archbishop Benson, and as part of the celebration of the thirteenth centenary of St. Augustine's landing in England. Although it lost considerably from the lack of proper scenic accommodation and adequate stage room, the drama passed off on the whole with success. It consists of ten tableaux, depicting the history of the conversion of England, from the scene in the market place at Rome, when the English slaves attracted the attention of Gregory, to the meeting of Augustine and his monks with Ethelbert, in Thanet, the baptism of Ethelbert at Canterbury, the consecration of Augustine and the consent of the British bishops to co-operate in the work of conversion. The play has in it much of incidental interest, and both the dresses and scenery have been carefully studied and copied from early MSS. and specimens in the British museum and elsewhere, and from sketches and photographs taken on the sites represented. All the characters were played with much earnestness. The ecclesiastical roles were filled by clergy, while all taking part in it are described as prominent churchmen in the locality. The scene outside the Forum at Rome and the conference at which Ethelbert granted leave to the missionaries to practice Christianity in Kent were especially impressive, and the chanting of the anthem sung by Augustine and his missionaries as they approached Canterbury was also an interesting feature of the play. A second performance was given in the evening, and the drama is to be repeated. Any balance which may remain after payment of the heavy expenses will go to the Canterbury cathedral restoration fund.

## AMERICAN HEIRESS IN PARIS.

Impecunious Titled Parisians Drew Lots to Decide Who Should Marry Her.

Lillian Bell, in a letter from Paris to the Ladies' Home Journal, writes that the most shameful thing in all Europe is the marriage question, and proceeds to narrate the experiences of a rich American girl who came to Paris with letters to friends. On account of her wealth she was invited everywhere by mothers of marriageable sons, but being unable to speak French was not much of a success. She went to a convent to learn French, and was shown much attention by the Duchess de Z—, who was determined that her son should marry her. "Suddenly, to the amazement of everybody, the heiress sailed for America without a word of warning. The Duchess was furious. 'You must follow her,' she said to her son. 'We cannot let so much money escape.' The son said he would be hanged if he went to America, or if he would marry such a monkey, and as for her money, she could go anywhere she pleased with it, or words to that effect. So that ended the affair of the Marquis de G—.

When the other impecunious young nobles heard that the Duchess no longer had any claims upon the American's money they got together and said, 'Somebody must marry her and divide with the rest. We can't all marry her, but we can all have a share from whoever does. Now we will draw lots to see who must go to America and marry her.' The lot fell to the Baron de X—, but he had no money for the journey. So all the others raised what money they could and loaned it to him, and took his notes for it, with enormous interest, payable after his marriage. He sailed away, and within eight months he had married her, but he has not paid those notes; his wife won't give him the money!"

## CRUEL CRITIC.

The Poet—Which of my poems do you think is the best? She—I haven't read that one yet.—Harlem Life.

## POPULAR SCIENCE.

Many persons are desperately afraid of night air, and so shut themselves into close rooms and breathe an atmosphere poisoned by human exhalations. It is well to avoid draughts, but night air, as Florence Nightingale put it, is the only air we have at night, and it is much wholesomer pure than impure.

M. Forel, in his excellent work on ants, has pointed out that very young ants devote themselves at first to the care of the larvae and pupae, and that they take no share in the defense of the nest or other out-of-door work until they are some days old. This seems natural, because their first skin is comparatively soft; and it would not be well for them to undertake rough work or run into danger until their armor had had time to harden.

It has been discovered by Dr. Bruce that the tsetse fly (Glossina morsitans), so fatal in Africa to cattle, is viviparous, not laying eggs, but bringing forth living, fully grown maggots. These larvae shortly after being born transform into pupae, the external larval skin hardening and assuming an ovate shape, with ears at one end. This discovery has been authenticated, says Nature, by Peringuey, who has bred from puparia sent by the governor of Natal, which is undoubtedly this fly.

## ARE YOU TO LIVE IN ALASKA?

Some Requirements That Will Be Found Indispensable.

The universal article of diet in that country, depended upon and indispensable, is bread or biscuit. And to make the bread and biscuit, either in the camp or upon the trail, yeast cannot be used—it must be baking powder; and the powder manufactured by the processes of the Royal Baking Powder Company, miners and prospectors have learned, is the only one which will stand in that peculiar climate of cold and dampness and raise the bread and biscuit satisfactorily.

These facts are very important for every one proposing to go to Alaska and the Yukon country to know, for should he be persuaded by some out-fitter to take one of the cheap brands of baking powder, it will cost just as much to transport it, and then when he opens it for use, after all his labor in packing it over the long and difficult route, he will find a solid caked mass or a lot of spoiled powder, with no strength and useless. Such a mistake might lead to the most serious results. Alaska is no place in which to experiment in food, or try to economize with your stomach. For use in such a climate, and under the trying and fatiguing conditions of life and labor in that country, everything must be the best and most useful, and above all it is imperative that all food supplies shall have perfect keeping qualities. It is absurd to convey over such difficult and expensive routes an article that will deteriorate in transit, or that will be found when required for use to have lost a great part of its value.

There is no better guide to follow in these matters than the advice of those who have gone through similar experience. Mr. McQuesten, who is called "the father of Alaska," after an experience of years upon the trail, in the camp, and in the use of every kind of supply, says: "We find in Alaska that the importance of a proper kind of baking powder cannot be overestimated. A miner with a can of bad baking powder is almost helpless in Alaska. We have tried all sorts, and have been obliged to settle down to use nothing but the Royal. It is stronger and carries further at first, but above all things, it is the only powder that will endure the severe climatic changes of the arctic region."

It is for the same reasons that the United States government in its relief expeditions, and Peary, the famous arctic traveler, have carried the Royal Baking Powder exclusively.

The Royal Baking Powder will not cake nor lose its strength either on board ship or in damp climates, and is the most highly concentrated and efficient of leavening agents. Hence it is indispensable to every Alaskan outfit. It can be had of any of the trading companies in Alaska, but should the miner procure his supplies before leaving, he should resist every attempt of the outfitter to palm off upon him any of the other brands of baking powder, for they will spoil and prove the cause of great disappointment and trouble.

## PEDDLERS IN MEXICO.

Why an Old Woman Wouldn't Sell Ah Her Honey at One Time.

"While traveling in Mexico a few years ago I had a funny experience with a Mexican vender which goes to show what little business ability the lower classes have," said E. F. Guignon of St. Louis. "I was en route to look at some mines away up in the mountains. At the station where we left the train to take the stage I saw an old woman selling some honey. She did not have more than ten pounds of it altogether and as it looked so good I wanted to buy it all to take along with us. I asked our interpreter to buy it. Much to my surprise the old woman would sell him but two boxes, claiming that if she sold it all to him she would have nothing to sell to other people, neither would she have anything else to do during the remainder of the day!"

## FADS IN FLOWERS.

Florists' shops abroad are much different from the ones in this country. In London, for example, funeral wreaths and emblems are displayed in the windows, with their prices attached. Some are attractive, others very hideous. Lichen is fashionable there for crosses and wreaths, and from this grisly-gray background calla lilies and white roses peer.

Set pieces, the "gates ajar," broken columns and floral pillows, are always painful, for, in the first place, the natural grace and beauty of the flowers is destroyed, and in the next there is no excuse for the emblems. Flowers for the dead should be scattered in careless handfuls—then only are they comforters, with their graceful beauty unimpaired. The modern custom of adding to a death notice the words, "Friends will please omit flowers," may be traced to the reluctance of the survivors to be confronted with those ghastly set pieces which have raged so long.

The best artists have always recognized that flowers should be allowed to arrange themselves. Basketfuls, armfuls or great bunches of loose flowers are justifiable, but crushing their beauty into any systematized outline is unforgivable. Florists abroad have a frightful habit of "making up" boutonniere for men's coats, and these bunches of three or four violets a spray of fern and a branch of forget-me-nots are seen on the lapels of the men who do not appreciate true fitness. A single gardenia tuberosa or a knot of mignonette is better than one of these horrible mixtures.



## CANADIAN CREAMERIES.

How They Are Operated and Made to Pay the Farmer.

A correspondent of a Brown City, Michigan, paper writes as follows: "An industry which is proving very advantageous to the settlers of North Alberta, Canada, and is truly a boon to the farmers, is the establishment of creameries by the Government at regular distances apart. The Government furnishes the entire plant, puts it in and operates it without direct cost to the farmer. From the sale of the butter the Government retains 5 cents per pound, the balance going to the farmer. This is continued for three years, when the government turns over the plant and business to the farmers, giving them a clear title of it. Thus these creameries are put in at a minimum cost to the farmer and paid for in a way that he least feels it. When we were there butter was selling at 21 and 22 cents per pound. Cheese factories were being established, too, along the railroad and much of the freight loaded on the cars on our return trip consisted of butter and cheese, as it was in the best season for milk. The produce found a ready market in the mining and lumbering towns and districts beyond the Rockies, through the British Columbia country, where it was, we were told, difficult to supply the demand."

The Klondike is another field now open to the Western Canadian farmer for all produce of the farm, and the officials in the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada, are kept busy sending out literature describing this great agricultural country. The agents of the Government throughout the United States are also supplied with literature, which they distribute free.

**Effectually Done.**  
"Do you have your shirts done up at the laundry?" asked Hojack.  
"I do," replied Tomdick, "and it requires only about three washings to do them up very exhaustively."

**Do You Dance To-Night?**  
Shake into your Shoes Allen's Foot Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Chills and Sweating Feet. At all Drugists and Shoe Store, 25c. Samples sent FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.

**Pittsburg Improvements Completed.**  
The improvements that the Baltimore & Ohio railroad have had under way at Pittsburg for the past fifteen months have been completed with the exception of a small amount of paving between the tracks, which will be done in the spring. The line now has splendid terminals at that point and sufficient trackage to handle the vast amount of business with not only economy but with celerity. The changes cost in the neighborhood of \$450,000 and consist of a new yard at Glenwood (one of Pittsburg's suburbs), a double track trestle nearly two miles in length, the changing of the line of road leading into the passenger station and the building of new freight yards near that point.

**Man's Infallible Guide.**  
Conscience is the voice of the soul; the passions are the voice of the body. Is it astonishing that often these two languages contradict each other, and then to which must we listen? Too often reason deceives us; we have only too much acquired the right of listening to it, but conscience never deceives us; it is the true guide of man; it is to man what instinct is to the body which follows it, obeys nature, and is never afraid of going astray.—London Echo.

**A Strapping Fellow.**  
Biedad—"I thought you said your son was a strapping fellow? why, he is not 5 feet tall."  
Wiggins—"No; but he teaches a country school."—Truth.

**Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.**  
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c. or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

**Put Salt in Coffee.**  
A few grains of salt sprinkled on coffee before adding the water brings and improves the flavor.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

**Almonds and Smilax.**  
A good deal is said and written about smilax, but all there is to it is salted almonds and smilax.—Atchison Globe

**Coe's Cough Balsam**  
Is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

**The Two Main Causes.**  
"I see that Timmins is getting out another novel."  
"Historical or hysterical?"—Indiana Journal.

**All Kinds of Seeds.**  
The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of the John A. Salzer Seed Co., which appears elsewhere in this issue. Those who expect to make any seed purchases will make a mistake not to write this concern. They are thoroughly reliable, and are the largest seed growers in America. It is advisable to make seed purchases without further delay, as the season is rapidly advancing. The John A. Salzer Seed Co. will send their interesting catalogue for 5 cents in stamps to defray the postage. They have made numerous offers this year, which deserve consideration.

## FARM AND GARDEN.

### MATTERS OF INTEREST TO AGRICULTURISTS.

Some Up-to-Date Hints About Cultivation of the Soil and Yields Thereof—Horticulture, Viticulture and Floriculture.

#### Windmill Science.

Mr. Hubbell, at an irrigation convention, said:

In mechanics the basis of all calculations is upon the mechanical power which is the equivalent of 33,000 pounds lifted one foot in one minute's time yielding 33,000 foot pounds. All windmills are given by the manufacturer a certain horse power equivalent, this capacity being predicted upon what the windmill is capable of doing in a wind of twenty miles per hour, and which is, by the way, a good stiff blow, and by far a stronger wind than generally prevails. A more conservative average upon which to base your calculations for general purposes, is not to exceed an average of more than fifteen miles per hour. It is here proper to say that a windmill of any diameter has greater or less power as the square of the velocity of the wind in miles per hour, and therefore a mill which would develop three horse power in fifteen miles per hour would have but one and one-third horse power capacity when the wind was blowing at the rate of ten miles per hour. The square of 15 is 225, the square of 10 is 100. A mill of any diameter will handle a greater or less quantity of water as the vertical height of discharge in feet is decreased or is increased; for instance, a mill that will raise 100 gallons of water per minute fifty feet vertically, will lift 200 gallons per minute twenty-five feet vertically, or the same mill will lift fifty gallons per minute 100 feet vertically. A cubic foot of water weighs approximately sixty-two and one-half pounds and contains approximately seven and one-half gallons, a gallon of water weighing about eight and one-third pounds. It will be of great personal assistance if you will remember that the pumping of water is a simple mechanical problem, and acquire the habit of reducing the quantity of water to be handled to so many foot pounds. If you will do so it will save you from serious disappointment. Perpetual motion has not yet been discovered. Remember above all things one pound of any substance, no matter what substance, lifted one foot vertically in one minute's time, or equivalent, requires a mechanical force of one foot plus the friction which is due to the means employed. You can lift yourself over the fence by your boot tops just as easily as you can get away from this fixed law. A great deal is said to-day by various persons concerning their ability to eliminate friction, and that by this means, or that means they can discharge a given number of gallons of water per minute a given number of feet vertically with less power than can be done by any other means of exactly the same principle in every detail. It ought not to take any person long to make up his or her mind that the person making any such statements deliberately deceives himself to say the least. Along this same line of thought it is proper to state that exaggerated ideas prevail to what can be accomplished by the wind for various power purposes. The pressure of the atmosphere at the sea level is but 14.7 pounds per square inch. When the wind is blowing at a velocity of twenty miles per hour, such a wind exerts a pressure of but two pounds per square foot of surface exposed. Therefore the power of a windmill is necessarily limited by the velocity of the wind and for this reason windmills can be used for pumping water for irrigation or other purposes demanding large volumes of water to but a limited extent, and in all instances where windmills are utilized for this purpose they can be successfully used only in connection with reservoirs of ample capacities.

An acre of ground contains 6,272,640 square inches. If one acre of ground be covered with water one inch deep, we would have a quantity of water equaling 27,155 gallons or what is termed one acre inch. If the quantity of water on the one acre be increased to thirteen inches, we would have what is called one acre foot, or 43,560 cubic feet or 325,851 gallons of water. It is conceded that in the semi-arid belt one foot of water per acre is necessary to insure the growing, and it seems to be established that this quantity of water will be demanded principally in two months of the season. To irrigate ten acres of land requires, therefore, a total of 3,258,510 gallons of water, and if all is applied in the two months, it requires an average of 1,629,255 gallons per month. Assuming that a windmill will work to its full capacity, ten hours per day, thirty days per month, we would then need for the ten acres of ground an average of 5,431 gallons per hour, or 91 gallons per minute, or 9-10 gallons per minute per acre. Assuming that this quantity of water must be lifted a vertical distance of ten feet, it would then require a mechanical force of 91 (the number of gallons) times 8-13 pounds (the weight of one gallon of water) times 10 feet (the total vertical distance raised in feet), or 7,580 foot pounds, which divided by 33,000 foot pounds equals .229 net horse power, or to determine the power required by a short method, multiply the number of gallons of water to be raised per minute (91) by the total vertical height raised in feet (10) and by the constant .0002527 and we have the same result—91x10x.0002527, equaling .229. Sufficient accuracy is possible by a still shorter method and which is one often used: Multiply the number of gallons per minute by the vertical height in feet, point off three decimals from the right, and divide by four; the quotient

is a little less than the actual net horse power. In the problem under consideration, the result by short method is .91x10, equaling 910. Point off three figures from the right and divide by four and the result is .2275.

#### Freaks and Eccentricities in Bees.

G.W. Demaree in American Bee Journal. The things that bees do out of the general order of things as pertains to their well settled habits, I think are properly called "freaks." Those of us who have handled bees for years, and observed closely their habits, know that bees some times do things that cannot be reconciled to the common laws of reasoning, or instinct. Such acts are freakish—sudden starts in action, governed by no laws, reasonable or instinctive.

I have seen a colony of bees virtually attempt to commit suicide, by refusing to accept a queen, or queen-cell, and even refuse to nurse young brood. Some people would be glad to say, "Maybe they were too old," etc. But this cannot be, for I have wintered many a queenless colony, and made them rear a queen and nurse brood until the hive was well stocked with young brood ready for the main early honey harvest.

Last summer I was walking through my apiary and discovered some bees hopping and crawling on the grass in front of one of the hives. I went up closer, and found the grass for several feet around the entrance covered with partially paralyzed bees dragging themselves aimlessly about. "A case of paralysis!" exclaims the novice. No; the cause was a "balled queen." Bees often sting each other in their scramble to ball a queen, yet, strange enough, they do not sting the queen.

I have seen a truant swarm leave the apiary and go straight to a hollow tree, and I have seen a swarm of bees leave the apiary with "business airs," and pass over fields and through a dense woods straight to a bunch of ironweeds, two miles away. I saw one swarm of bees pass through the largest tract of timbered land in the vicinity of my apiary and settle on a fence near a farm house, and was taken in by the farmer. I had a swarm of bees take leave of my apiary—as though it was disgusted with such quarters, go a quarter of a mile, settle on a bush, then break the cluster, and make a "bee-line" back to the apiary and settle on a tree.

I once saw a swarm of bees "hived" by what may properly be called an accident (?). The swarm was struggling in the air against a stiff gale, and a sudden gust of wind swept them to the ground near the entrance of an empty hive, and the hive acting as a "sounding board" in response to the hum of their wings, the bees caught the sound and hived themselves. My observations have led me to believe that in a state of nature more swarms of bees find homes by the sense of hearing than in all other ways.

I once saw a swarm of bees in its flight pass near the top of a large apple tree, and the rear part of the swarm seemed to catch the sound from a hole in a dead limb of the tree, and made a rush for the hollow limb, while the main part of the swarm was evidently bent on going forward, but the loud "hum" at the hole in the limb prevailed, and the whole swarm attempted to enter a cavity in the limb too small to accommodate half of the swarm. I smoked them out and hived them.

I once had a swarm of bees to refuse to stay in any hive I put them into. Their craze was to locate and build comb on the limb they first settled on, and finally I let a part of the swarm try the experiment. They made a living until the honey season was over, and then starved out.

Bees do some things so wide of the mark of common sense that their acts are both amusing and astounding to a reasoning mind. The following is an example among many that might be mentioned:

I sometimes leave on the hive a case of partially filled sections with honey, to supplement scant winter stores in the breeding department of the hive. Well, in some way a large grey mouse got into one of the cases above the brood nest, and its escape was cut off by a full brood nest of lively bees below. It occurred to me that if those bees had stopped to reflect, they might have cleared a way down through the brood department to the entrance, and then sent a detachment of fierce young "buck" bees into the super, with instructions to shriek and yell after that mouse until, panic-stricken, he hid his way—hair and hide—down the cleared way to the open air, and thus summarily eject him as an obstreperous tenant. But they did no such thing. They maliciously murdered the intruder, and proceeded to reduce him to as nice, white, clean skeleton as any naturalist ever had the pleasure of adding to his collection of curiosities; "bone to his bone," as clean and nice as if the whole carcass had been boiled, scraped and sandpapered.

I have seen a big bumble-bee slip into a hive when the portals were strongly guarded by vigilant warriors, and I have seen him (?) led out by the ears (?), after he had passed the guards into the dark interior of the hive. Now let some one ask the question, "Do bees see?" along with the query, "Do bees hear?" Such a blunder on the part of the guards of the Czar's palace would cost them their heads.

Apple Scab Fungus.—Now is the time to spray for apple scab fungus. The experimenters say that the winter is the time when the work must be begun, if good results are to be expected for the coming year or years. There are many mild days in winter that can be utilized for this purpose. The spores of the fungus are cast off in the fall and find their lodgment on the trunks and limbs of trees.

Look after the lawn.

#### Nearly an Elopement.

It was a dark night. Slowly down the marble steps into the garden stole a little figure of perhaps 240 pounds.

In her hands she carried a small parcel. It was a Saratoga trunk. She was clad only in garments, with the exception of her hat, and shoes and stockings.

She glanced carefully around, and seeing no one, she took a step forward.

"Ah, ha!" Foiled!

It was a deep cry of triumph. A large man of 5 feet 3 inches sprang from the bushes and seized the maiden. In spite of her struggles he bore her into the house, a glow of victory in his eyes.

Was it a stern parent ruthlessly preventing his daughter's elopement?

No. It was a calm suburban citizen, and he was preventing his new cook from jumping her job.—New York World.

#### Objected to the Idea.

Mr. Hogan (from Limerick)—O! did not mind the threats as 'im as much th' insultin' style as his remarks.

Mr. Grogan (from Galway)—And f'wdid he say?

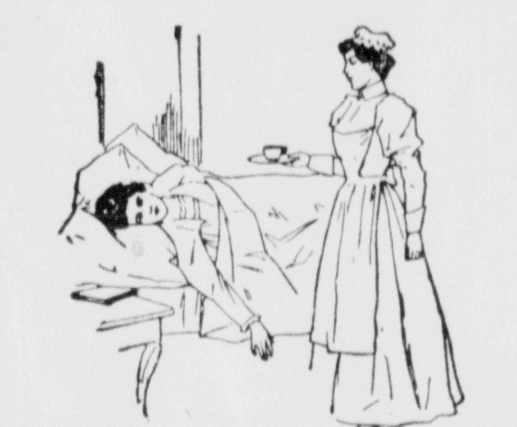
Mr. Hogan—He says to me: "Hogan," says he, "tis a great notion of have to jump on you and knock your face into shape."—Exchange.

#### A BENEFACTRESS' KIND ACT.

From the Evening News, Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. John Tansey, of 130 Baker Street, Detroit, Michigan, is one of those women who always know just what to do in all trouble and sickness. One that is a mother to those in distress. To a reporter she said: "I am the mother of ten children and have raised eight of them. Several years ago we had a serious time with my daughter, which began when she was about sixteen years old. She did not have any serious illness but seemed to gradually waste away. Having never had any consumption in our family, as we come of good old Irish and Scotch stock, we did not think it was that. Our doctor called the disease by an odd name which, as I afterward learned, meant lack of blood."

"It is impossible to describe the feeling John and I had as we noticed our daughter slowly passing away from us. We finally found, however, a medicine that seemed to



Most of the Time She Was Confined to Bed.

help her and from the first we noticed a decided change for the better, and after three months' treatment her health was so greatly improved you would not have recognized her. She gained in flesh rapidly and soon was in perfect health. The medicine used was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I have always kept these pills in the house since and have recommended them to many people. I have told many mothers about them and they have effected some wonderful cures.

"Every mother in this land should keep these pills in the house, as they are good for many ailments, particularly those arising from impoverished or diseased blood, and weakened nerve force."

**Logic Class in the Seminary.**

Professor—"Miss C., give me an example of a true conclusion drawn from two false premises."

Miss C.—"Logic is an easy study. That's false. I don't like easy studies. That's false. I don't like logic. That's true."

"Class dismissed."—New York Tribune.

#### Not Inconsistent.

"I'm afraid of you," said Miss Kitch to Mr. Callow, saucily.

"That's strange," replied Mr. Callow. "A few minutes ago you—aw—said that you were afraid of nothing, doncher know?"

"Well, what of that?"

#### BETTER THAN A SILVER MINE.

The editor estimates that the increase in yields had by the American farmer by planting Salzer's Potatoes and new creations in Wheat, Oats, Corn, Rye, Grasses and Clovers the past year amounted in round numbers to \$50,000,000. The reason of this is Salzer's farm and vegetable seeds are bred up to big yields. Salzer is the largest grower of grasses, clovers and farm seeds in the world; 100,000 barrels potatoes, \$1.50 a barrel and up.

Just Send This Notice with 10 Cents to John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and get their great catalogue and 11 packages farm seeds, positively worth \$10, to get a start with. w.a.n.

Mrs. Catherine Watts of Quakertown, Pa., is 107 years old and can thread a needle without glasses.

**Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.**  
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail druggists refund money.

Wildcats are numerous in Monroe county, Ky., and are a terror to the inhabitants.

#### AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

We are asserting in the country our right to the exclusive use of the word "CASTORIA," and "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," as our Trade Mark. I, Dr. Samuel Pitcher, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. Look carefully at the wrapper and see that it is "the kind you have always bought," and has the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which CHAS. H. Fletcher is President.

March 8, 1897. SAMUEL PITCHER, M. D.  
Shoes made of porpoise leather are absolutely impervious to water.

**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.**  
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 75 cents a bottle.

In Puerto Limon, Costa Rica, the whisky is so bad that the yellow fever will not attack anybody who drinks it.

**WE HAVE NEW COOK STOVES.**  
AS low as \$3.75. Stove catalogue free. New steel plate wrought iron ranges from \$19.75 up. We can save you from 25 to 50 per cent on all outfit for housekeeping. Send for stove catalogue. St. Louis strictly Pure White Lead 34c pound. New Road Carts \$7.14.

is the name to remember when buying Sarsaparilla. Dr. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has been curing people right along for nearly 50 years. That is why it is acknowledged to be the sovereign Sarsaparilla. It is the original and the standard. The record of the remedy is without a rival,—a record that is written in the blood of thousands, purified by its power.

"I nursed a lady who was suffering from blood poisoning and must have contracted the disease from her; for I had four large sores, or ulcers, break out on my person. I doctored for a long time, both by external application and with various blood medicines; but in spite of all that I could do, the sores would not heal. At last I purchased six bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, thinking I would give it a thorough trial. Before the six bottles had been taken, the ulcers were healed, the skin sound and natural, and my health better than it had been for years. I have been well ever since. I had rather have one bottle of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Sarsaparilla than three of any other kind."—Mrs. A. F. TAYLOR, Englewood, N. Dak.

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The firm of Benson & Gray, engaged in the meat market business in Brainerd, Minn., is dissolved by mutual consent this 3d day of February, 1898, and is succeeded by the firm of Benson & Bierhaus, who will collect all sums due to, and will pay all indebtedness of, said firm of Benson & Gray.

Brainerd, Minn., Feb. 3, 1898.

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Every yard of Embroidery in Our Stock will be placed ON SALE this week, for your inspection, at ACTUAL COST PRICES, as landed in this country from St. Gall, Switzerland.

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A grand concert will be given on Tuesday evening next at the First Congregational church under the auspices of the ladies aid society of that organization. Mr. J. Monroe Root, of Minneapolis, will have charge and will be assisted by a choir of 20 voices of the best talent in the city. The following are a few of the complimentary notices the gentleman has received.

Mr. J. M. Root for a long time had charge of the music at the Oak Park Congregational church of Minneapolis, and gave the very best satisfaction. His special musical services always filled the church to its utmost capacity. It gives us great pleasure to say that Mr. Root is one of the best musical directors in the northwest; possessing a thorough knowledge of music, with a fine, sympathetic, high baritone voice, and heart and soul in his work, gives him the happy faculty of at once interesting singers and bringing out their best efforts.—F. B. Wright, chairman music committee, Oak Park Congregational church.

Mr. J. M. Root for several years has been, and is now, the director of the choir of the First Unitarian society of this city, to the great satisfaction of the people in attendance. I am pleased to say further that Mr. Root is himself a fine baritone singer of the first quality.—S. C. Gale, chairman of the board of trustees of First Unitarian church, Minneapolis.

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